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## Mason To FHA Position

Probe of Scandal In Housing Setup Begun by Several Federal Agencies

WASHINGTON (P)—President Eisenhower today named Norman P. Mason of North Chelmsford, Mass., to run the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) while a variety of federal agencies probe into possible multi-million dollar scandals running back into the Truman administration.

The new acting FHA commissioner, a lumber dealer, succeeds Guy T. O. Holliday, Baltimore mortgage banker whose resignation, accepted yesterday, was the first signal of the swiftly developing affair.

The allegations of irregularity, disclosed shortly afterward by Housing Administrator Albert M. Cole, centered on fleeing of home owners on loans for modernization and repair, and over-appraisal of apartment projects for mortgage insurance.

Cole described Holliday as "a good Christian gentleman" but said he might be held partially responsible for abuses under the repair program because "I believe he has been aware of it and did not act." Holliday, appointed by President Eisenhower, had been in the office a year.

The new acting commissioner has been treasurer of the William P. Proctor Co., lumber dealers in North Chelmsford, since 1937. He is 57 years old.

The announcement of Mason's appointment coincided with an indication from Chairman Capehart (R-Ind.) that his Senate Banking Committee may join in the already wide-spread investigation series.

The Housing and Home Finance Agency headed by Cole, which is the over-all agency of which FHA is a part, already had an inquiry going. And Cole at a news conference said the FBI was being called in to study any "illegal or unethical action" in the apartment financing phase of the matter. He said inflated appraisals already had cost the government more than 75 million dollars.

Capehart said the banking committee may move in "on the theory that maybe the FHA should not investigate themselves."

"I am not saying there is going to be a banking committee investigation," Capehart emphasized. "The full committee will have to decide that."

The whole committee already has taken a critical view of the possibility of too-high appraisals, Capehart said, and amendments have been prepared to "stop this sort of thing."

## GOP Describes Berlin Meeting As a 'Triumph'

WASHINGTON (P)—The Republican National Committee today described as "a diplomatic triumph for all free nations" the Berlin Big Four talks at which the Western powers agreed to meet with Communist China and Russia to discuss peace in Asia.

"The new Eisenhower brand of diplomacy meets a fresh challenge at Geneva on April 26 when the free West and the Communist East try to find a formula for the peaceful unification of Korea, and to discuss possible peace in Indochina," the committee said.

## Amateur Art Festival At Public Library Friday Thru Sunday

Beta Tau Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, is just about ready for the second annual Amateur Art Festival which will be presented at the Sedalia Public Library April 16, 17 and 18.

The show will be from 5 to 9 p. m. Friday; 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. Saturday and 1 to 4:30 p. m. Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Wilson announces that there is a large number of entries this year and that all entries are originals, not copies.

All artists are to take their pictures to the second floor of the library on Wednesday between the hours of 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. Members of Beta Tau will be there to accept them.

## Pretty, Pretty Soon

The way the trees are budding out, it won't be long before Broadway becomes the most talked about section or Highway 50 between the Atlantic and Pacific. "The street of trees" will soon be forming an arch over the highway.

Partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight near 50. High Wednesday near 80.

The temperature at 7 a. m. was 46; 71 at 1 p. m., and 72 at 2 p. m.

One year ago today here high 60, low 34. Two years ago high 46, low 36, rainfall .37 inch. Three years ago high 55, low 34, rainfall .09 inch.

Stage at Lake of the Ozarks: 44.0, rise 1.1.



REUNION IN FRANKFURT—Valeriu C. Georgescu, Romanian-born American business executive, is flanked by his sons, Peter, 15, left, and Constantin, 19, at Frankfurt, Germany, airport following the boys' arrival from Communist Romania. The youths, Georgescu said, were able to leave Romania because of the help of the U. S. State Department. It was the first time they'd seen each other since 1947. Georgescu had refused to be blackmailed into spying to win release of the 'teen-age boys. (AP Wirephoto by radio from Frankfurt)

## Mrs. Georgescu Reunited Today With Sons Who Were Hostages

NEW YORK (P)—Away from prying eyes, Mrs. Lydia Georgescu was tenderly reunited today with her two sons who were hostages in Romania for seven years.

Government officials and crew, together with other passengers, understandingly first left the big Pan American plane that carried Constantin, 19, and Peter, 15, from London to Idlewild Airport.

Then a public health official signalled to Mrs. Georgescu who had waited in an office. She walked toward the plane, then broke into a run. As she neared the craft's doorway, the older youth emerged from the cabin and embrace his mother.

Then they stepped within the plane and the little family group

met privately for a few minutes. Also present was the boys' father, Valeriu Georgescu, 50-year-old oil company executive who met them in Munich yesterday.

After the reunion, the youths stepped from the plane and told reporters they were "proud" that their father, a naturalized American citizen, had refused to spy against the United States in their behalf.

The Georgescu case broke into headlines last year when the father disclosed to the State Department that a blackmail attempt had been made by a member of the Romanian legation.

The boys, rosy cheeked and healthy looking, smiled constantly during their impromptu meeting with the press alongside the plane.

The pair spoke little English, except for constantly repeating "Thank you very much." Their father translated for them.

Constantin said that they had heard through friends that their father had told of his refusal to spy on Radio Free Europe and his reaction, Constantin said:

"We are very proud of what you have done and never lost faith that you might ever commit an act of betrayal in order to save us. We knew you and are proud of you."

The youth again repeated the Romanian phrase "Suntem mandri," which means "We are proud of you."

The boys, who had just one piece of luggage, were then cleared rapidly by government immigration, health and customs officials, and the family was taken to the airport terminal building for news-reel appearances.

Speaking for the family, the father said:

"We are all very happy that at long last we are together again. It's been a long, long seven years. God made this possible. Only God could have done it. It's like a miracle. We want to thank everyone for this happy reunion."

Washington had been negotiating for months to get the youths out of Romania, Rep. Francis P. Bolton (R-Ohio), who worked on the case last fall as a delegate to the U. N. General Assembly, disclosed last night that President Eisenhower recently wrote personally to the Romanian government, appealing for their release as "the heartful thing to do."

The parents had not seen the lads since 1947 when the couple left the family's native Bucharest for a two-month visit to the United States. The father, branch chief in Romania for Standard Oil of New Jersey, was refused readmittance "as a representative of the United States."

## Gas Company Is Sold To Investment Bankers

KANSAS CITY (P)—The entire common stock of the Gas Service Co. of Kansas City today was sold to an investment banking group for \$33,045,000.

The price was more than \$1,000,000 above that offered by Missouri Public Service Co., whose contract with Cities Service, the owner, was not renewed last February after objections were raised by the Kansas Corporation Commission.

A joint bid submitted by Kuhn Loeb & Co., Union Securities, Reynolds & Co. and Allen & Co. was \$22.93 a share for the 1,500,000 shares of common stock.

## Easter Egg Hunt for SAFB Airmen's Children Saturday

Some 300 to 400 children of personnel at the Sedalia Air Force Base are to participate in the first annual Easter Egg Hunt at the base Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All children of members of the Air Force personnel are invited to take part.

According to the chaplain section at the base, there are more than 400 children belonging to personnel assigned to the base. Plans are being made to take care of each child who attends and none will go away without eggs or candy.

The hunt will start at the base chapel and cover the area in the

south portion of the base. Bunny Rabbit will be busy early Saturday getting the eggs hidden in this spot, that spot, here and there and make it as hard as possible for the children to find them. Of course, there will be some out in the open for the little tots who won't have to work so hard in looking.

Capt. Ralph E. Gebard, base chaplain, and his section men, are working with a committee comprised of wives of personnel on the base for the party. Mrs. Lloyd V. Spear, wife of Lt. Spear, is chairman of the Easter Egg Hunt. Baskets for the children must be furnished by the parents.

American capital, and they refused to let our sons join us." Subsequently Georgescu and his wife became American citizens.

Constantin and Peter left Bucharest by train Saturday and arrived in Vienna yesterday morning. They flew to Munich for a tearful reunion with their father, who said he did not know until two weeks ago they would be freed.

"I hardly recognized them," Georgescu told reporters in Frankfurt during a brief stopover. "They had grown so much."

"The first thing I'm going to do," he said, "is send the boys to school so they can learn English. After that they'll no doubt want to take up baseball."

## Says Soviet Exile Reveals Spy Network

Embassy Secretary Flees Russians, Shows Aussies Plot

CANBERRA, Australia (P)—Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies announced today that the Soviet Embassy's third secretary here had fled the Russians and disclosed a widespread Soviet spy network in Australia.

Menzies said a royal commission had been appointed to investigate the information supplied by the defector, and that the Soviet Embassy had appealed for political asylum in Australia and had been turned over to the nation's security forces for further questioning.

Petrov, Menzies said, had given the security forces a great number of documents and oral information listing Australian "contacts or cooperators" some of them under code names.

The government chief told the shocked House the royal commission would investigate these listings, as well as activities of agents of the Soviet secret police in Australia.

Petrov's switch to the West closely paralleled that of Igor Gouzenko, the code clerk in the Kremlin's embassy in Ottawa, who in 1945 broke with the Russians and turned himself over to the Canadians. His disclosures broke open the Soviets' wartime atom spy ring in Canada and the United States.

A statement by Petrov said: "I wish to ask the Australian government for permission to remain in Australia permanently. I wish to become an Australian citizen as soon as possible."

"I ask for protection for myself and assistance to establish myself comfortably in this country."

"I no longer believe in the communism of the Soviet leadership."

"I no longer believe in communism since I have seen the Australian way of living."

Menzies told the house protection has been provided for Petrov and the Soviet embassy notified.

## Walters Will Be New School Superintendent For Stover District

Jesse E. Walters, Everton, Mo., will be the new superintendent of Morgan County School District R-1, with its high school at Stover. He will succeed E. E. Porter, who has been superintendent there for the past six years.

Walters is originally from Gravois Mills. He has been superintendent of Dade County District R-III for several years. He has also been connected with the school system at Dixon for several years. He will move his family to Stover this summer.

## Judge Tipton Ill

KANSAS CITY (P)—Supreme Court Judge Ernest M. Tipton was received at the Research Hospital here late yesterday after suffering a light heart attack in Jefferson City. Dr. Robert C. Davis said his condition is satisfactory.

## Atomic Advisor Released

Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer Gets a Suspension For Security Reasons; He Will Fight Back

WASHINGTON (P)—Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer has been suspended as a government adviser on atomic matters for security reasons—including accusations that he sought to block development of the hydrogen bomb. He declared he will fight the accusations.

The noted physicist, sometimes called the man who built the A-bomb, disclosed the charges himself today by making public an exchange of letters with Maj. Gen. K. D. Nichols, general manager of the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC). Stories about the charges had been published by New York morning newspapers.

There was no immediate comment from the AEC.

Nichols' letter said 16 specific allegations of subversive activities had been leveled against Oppenheimer. One was that he battled against construction of the H-bomb, even after former President Truman approved it.

Former President Truman, visiting friends in the country near Fulton, Mo., where he spoke last night, said he had not seen today's news stories about Oppenheimer.

On the question of delay in development of the hydrogen bomb, Truman said that there was some disagreement among scientists about the project but that after he gave the word to go ahead with its development the work proceeded without dispute.

On a question about Oppenheimer's AEC appointment, Truman declined comment until he had opportunity to refresh his memory by consulting his files in Kansas City. He is expected to return there tomorrow.

The letter, dated last Dec. 23, advised Oppenheimer:

"It was reported further that you were instrumental in persuading other scientists not to work on the hydrogen bomb project and that the opposition to the hydrogen bomb, of which you are the most experienced, most powerful and most effective member, has definitely slowed down its development."

"The commission has no other recourse, in the discharge of its obligations to protect the common defense and security, but to suspend your clearance to have atomic information until the matter has been resolved."

"Accordingly, your employment on Atomic Energy Commission work and your eligibility for access to restricted data are hereby suspended."

In reply, Oppenheimer wrote a 43-page letter on March 4 which he called "summary account of relevant aspects of my life."

In the letter, the Scientist took up each of the allegations raised in Nichols' letter including the statement that he had argued against development of the hydrogen bomb in 1949.

Oppenheimer said he as well as the entire general advisory committee on atomic matters made up of top-level scientists, argued against the rapid build-up of H-weapons, which the scientist referred to as a "crash program."

He said the committee submitted a report to the AEC stating that "such a program might weaken rather than strengthen the position of the United States."

But, Oppenheimer said, he and the other members of the commission shifted signals after President Truman announced in January, 1950, that the United States would proceed with the H-bomb program.

## Council Votes to Override Denial to Rezone One Block

Ordinance to Rezone Property Given First Reading Monday Night and Will Be Up Next Week for Second Reading and Final Passage

The City Council voted Monday night to override the city zoning board's denial of a petition to rezone the block west of Smith-Cotton High School for a business area (for Sateway) and gave first reading to an ordinance which would rezone the property from zone A (residential) to zone G (for business).

Next week the ordinance will come up for second reading and final passage, and on the final vote it will need a three-fourths majority vote. The Council is informed.

Involved in the ordinance is the block bordered by Broadway, Massachusetts, Lamine and Ninth on which the Sateway stores desire to erect a modern supermarket. Recently the zoning board denied a petition to rezone the area for business use and it was this decision which the council voted Monday night, by a 7-0 vote, to override.

Several ordinances were given final passage at Monday's meeting, which was a recess meeting from the week before—on the eve of the city election.

In the ordinances passed: the city clerk was given authority to convey to Charles R. Gentry lots 5 and 6 of block 8, Parkway addition; the contract was authorized for sewer district No. 99; parking was prohibited on both sides of the MKT crossing and on both sides of 16th Street, 20 feet west of the crossing; authorized Charles R. Gentry, as trustee, to sell lots 7 to 12 in block 5 of the Parkway addition to Tom and Olive Ware; established stop signs for locations 15 feet north and south of the MoPac crossings at Emmett, Mill, Lamine, Monticau, Prospect and Quincy; gave authority to the mayor, with the advice and consent of the council, to enter into an agreement with the commission of agriculture to accept for the city a pipe line license.

Coupons of four paid bonds were destroyed by Councilman Schwartz and Carroll on vote of the council. They included one \$10 park improvement bond and three \$10 sewer bonds.

An audit of the city books was considered and the motion carried that the certified public accountants in Sedalia be asked for bids on the work with the specification the bids be in by next Monday night and that the work be completed by May 31 and turned over to the council by June 10.

A large audience was on hand for the meeting and showed interest in the rezoning matter. Councilman Garrison moved that the zoning board's report be taken off the table, where it had been placed at a previous meeting, and this motion carried. He then moved that the council retire for a short executive session. Upon the council's return, Garrison made the motion that the zoning board's report be overridden and on a roll call vote. The new ordinance for the rezoning was called for and given its first reading.

Roland Snavely, who was elected a councilman in the recent city election but whose term does not begin until next Monday night, was asked by Mayor Elmer Summers to sit with the council during the session. He did not have privilege of vote, but the mayor explained he could sit at the council desk and "get the chills out of his system."

Officers reports were read and accepted and several persons were granted the right to enter sewers in various parts of the city.

These liquor licenses were granted: Paul McMillen, package liquor at Reno's; Zero locker, 5 percent package beer; The Grid-dle, retail 3.2 beer; Mrs. S. L. Cunningham, 820 North Monticau, retail 3.2 beer; Jerdon Reeves, wholesale beer.

Bids were opened for the purchase of five old cars on the city parking lot. Two went to Robert E. Paxton for \$95 and three to Katzinger Salvage Co. for \$32.50. These were the high bids.

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## Truman Urges Close Guard On Democracy

Tells Westminster College Students To Protect Rights

FULTON, Mo. (P)—Former President Harry S. Truman told Westminster College students today to guard the United States form of government and "don't encourage man on horseback to take it away from you."

The comment came in a question-and-answer period after the former President had spoken for 24 minutes in an "off the cuff" discussion of the importance of preserving presidential powers.

Truman declared last night in a speech from the same platform that in fighting a fifth column in the United States "we should be sure that we do not fall into the trap of adopting totalitarian tactics of the Communists themselves."

Today's comment was in answer to a written question by a student about attempts to curb presidential powers. Truman said that had been going on for a long time.

"Congress always tries to curb presidential power," he said, "and any president who sits idly by and lets Congress run over him gets exactly what's coming to him."

Truman said in his speech that every president has been "roundly abused and mistreated" during his term of office. Some of the attacks, he said, claimed congressional immunity, the same as some people do today when they make misstatements.

Truman said he wanted his own 39 tons of presidential papers preserved and put in shape "to refute every lie that has ever been told."

The former President devoted his attention last night to what he termed periods of public hysteria in American history.

## Reuther Terms Tax Revision As 'Giveaway'

WASHINGTON (P)—CIO President Walter Reuther said today the administration's tax revision bill actually is a tax reduction measure embracing "concessions for corporations and wealthy stockholders."

"It is a giveaway program for those groups in our economy who, at this particular point in time, need no tax relief," he declared in testimony prepared for the Senate Finance Committee, holding hearings on the bill.

Reuther urged the committee to amend the House-approved bill by making a 4½-million-dollar general income tax cut this year, and an 8-billion reduction in 1955 and thereafter.

## Seeking Military Alliance

US and Britain Agree on NATO Type Program In Southeast Asia

LONDON (P)—The United States and Britain agreed today to seek a NATO-type military alliance of 10 nations, pivoted on southeast Asia, in an effort to safeguard peace from Indochina to New Zealand.

They declared Communist aggression, loose in Indochina, threatens to spread over all the rich lands extending to Australia, the Philippines and Thailand.

The decision to press for the formation of a new southeast Asia defense system was announced in a joint British-American communique after a two-day conference between U. S. Secretary of State Dulles and British leaders on a "united action" program.

A top ranking American official said Dulles was "very satisfied" with the meeting and felt the talks "went far towards establishing the unity of purpose which he sought on southeast Asia defense."

Dulles was leaving by plane for Paris to line up France in what the official said might become a "Southeast NATO."

Dulles told airport newsmen: "I have had the best series of talks in 48 hours that I have ever had. I think few countries have spoken to each other with greater intimacy and friendliness than has been characteristic of these talks we have had here."

The communique said: "We deplore the fact that on the eve of the Geneva conference the Communist forces in Indochina are increasingly developing their activities into a large-scale war against the forces of the French Union."

"They seek to overthrow the lawful and friendly government of Viet Nam, which we recognize, and they have invaded Laos and Cambodia."

"We realize that these activities not only threaten those involved, but also endanger the peace and security of the entire area of southeast Asia and the Western Pacific, where our two nations and other friendly and allied nations have vital interests."

"Accordingly, we are ready to take part with the other countries principally concerned in an examination of the possibility of establishing a collective defense within the framework of the charter of the United Nations to assure the peace, security and freedom of southeast Asia and the Western Pacific."

"It is our hope that the Geneva conference will lead to the restoration of peace in Indochina. We believe that the prospect of establishing a unit of defense, purpose throughout southeast Asia and in the Western Pacific will contribute to an honorable peace in Indochina."

Dulles held his fifth conference in three days today with British Foreign Secretary Eden, telling reporters as he entered the Foreign Office: "We shall have something to say this afternoon."

## Crossroads Comment

By G. H. S.

Something will have to be done about easier parking facilities in Sedalia's downtown business district to retain the customary flow of business in this area.

Shopping Center competition on the outskirts of town is attracting trade here and in a general way, the downtown area has to take a trip and observe this nationwide development.

People are simply responding to easy access provisions made for them. If stimulus is to be given the public to trade downtown, Sedalia's traffic and parking problems must be given serious attention.

Currently, there is appearing in these newspapers a series of articles about this problem. Every downtown merchant should read them and formulate a course of supporting action or suggestion.

Sedalia's downtown shopping district with its auto traffic and parking problem is busting at the seams. What's going to be done about it?

Currently there is a movement to locate a grocery shopping center on East Broadway one block off Ohio Street in a zoned residential area. Property owners are vigorously opposed to this and have been supported by the zoning board. City council last night by a 7-0 vote reversed the zoning board. An ordinance is appearing in the paper and may or may not be supported by a three-fourths vote of a dying council on Monday night, April 19. If the property owners in the Broadway section expect support they will have to do some potent work on council members between now and then.

Property owners on East Broadway believe their rights are being invaded. They have a perfect right to protest, the same as those living along a proposed widened highway that encroaches upon their property. In the interest of progress, sometimes, they become victims of proponents' injunctive relief.

Regardless of the outcome of the East Broadway dilemma the fact remains Sedalia has a perplexing traffic and parking problem downtown that cannot very long be delayed in its alleviation, if trade conditions are to be encouraged.

## Second In Series of Passion Week Masterpieces

## Take, Eat; This Is My Body



"Take, eat; this is My body." And He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it; for this is My blood of the New Testament which is shed for many." (Matt. 26:26-28)

French manuscript illumination, "The Last Supper." Courtesy Metropolitan Museum of Art. Selected by Department of Worship and the Arts, National Council of Churches.



# Bank Robbery Foiled Today In Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — A bicycle-riding bandit who apparently wore heavy makeup as a disguise fired five shots toward 25 customers and employees in a bank robbery attempt today that was foiled by a detective and tellers today.

No one was injured. The detective, who was in the bank as a customer, fired one shot at the bandit as he fled on foot without obtaining any money.

The bandit, red-haired and about 30 to 35 years old, entered the Manufacturers and Mechanics Bank on Kansas City's east side about 11 a.m.

About 12 customers, including Francis Clemmons, a plainclothes police officer, were in the bank at the time.

Dressed in khaki shirt and pants and a brown hat, all of which he later abandoned, the man walked to the cage of Keith Johnson, a teller. He placed a cardboard box about 12 by six inches in size on the counter in front of Johnson, and ordered:

"Fill it up."

Johnson, startled, did nothing. He said later the customer then was joking. Standing only a few feet from the cage was Clemmons. He also said he believed the man was kidding.

Then the intruder pulled out a small pistol and said in a rough voice: "I'm not kidding."

Still, Johnson did nothing. He looked at Miss Wilma Stader, a teller in an adjoining cage. The bandit then apparently became irked and backed away from the cage.

The man walked to a point near a vestibule leading to a bank entrance. He waved his pistol wildly. Clemmons walked toward him.

The bandit began shooting, waving his gun back and forth. The shots went wild. Customers ran to a north alcove of the bank and huddled together.

The executive vice president of the bank, L. H. Johnson, ran into his office. Clemmons attempted to seize the weapon from the bandit, who rushed from the bank.

Clemmons followed and fired once as the man ran away. A later, khaki shirt and a brown hat of the type the bandit wore, were found on a street nearby. A witness said he saw a man take off the items. The man wore other clothing beneath the khaki ones, the witness said.

# Little Rock Man Here as Foreman

F. A. Schultz, Little Rock, Ark., has arrived in Sedalia with his family and is now foreman in the car department of the Missouri Pacific shops here. He displaced W. J. Knight, 1500 South Harrison, on seniority rights.

Mr. Knight has put in for a like position in the Missouri Pacific Shops at DeSoto and will displace a foreman there with less seniority. At present Mr. Knight is on a 30-day leave.

Mr. Schultz and family have already moved to Sedalia and reside at 817 South Snead.

# Reds Win Six Seats On Nazareth Council

JERUSALEM, Israeli Sector — Communist candidates today won 6 of the 15 seats on the Municipal Council of Nazareth — the town where Jesus Christ was reared.

Three Roman Catholics, three Moslems and three Eastern Orthodox representatives were also elected. Nazareth is the largest Arab town in Israel.

All parties except the Communists promised to take special care of the holy places.

# Boy Is Injured Fatally by Tractor

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. — Charles Myers, 9, was dead on arrival at a hospital here yesterday after he was hurt in a tractor accident. He reportedly was crushed between the tractor and a tree while trying to operate the machine.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Myers, who live near Wallace.

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# OBITUARIES

## John Sherwood Faddis

John Sherwood Faddis, 76, died at 6:45 p.m. Monday at his home, 1204 South Quincy.

He was born July 21, 1877 at Centralia, son of the late Payton and Susan Day Faddis, and had lived in Missouri almost all his life. With the exception of 10 years in Texas, practically all of his career was spent as a farmer and stock raiser. Since retirement he had lived in Sedalia.

When Elston Leach he united with the Bethlehem Baptist church in Audrain County, but since coming to Sedalia had been a member of the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Faddis was married in Centralia, Oct. 3, 1899 to Miss Margaret Carter. They were the parents of two sons. One son, Robert C. Faddis, died in 1919 at the age of 14.

One brother, Charles Faddis, died a number of years ago. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Faddis; one son, Lewis P. Faddis, Des Moines, Ia.; one sister, Mrs. Effie Alexander, Kansas City; one brother, Roy Faddis, St. Louis; one grandson, Rodney Faddis, Des Moines.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home.

## Mrs. Merle D. Leach

Mrs. Merle D. Leach, 67, wife of George Elston Leach, the latter a former resident of Ottaviano, 3617 East 49th, Kansas City, died Sunday night in an ambulance on the way to St. Luke's Hospital after she had been stricken while attending a Palm Sunday music program at the Community Christian Church, Kansas City.

Mrs. Leach, with two friends, was seated near an aisle. Just before the end of the first part of "Olivet to Calvary," a cantata by Maunders, Mrs. Leach fell backward in the seat, witnesses said. Within a few seconds she was carried from the sanctuary by five men, ushers and men sitting near Mrs. Leach.

Mrs. Leach was carried from the sanctuary which is on the second floor, to a women's lounge on the first floor. Emergency medical treatment was given by a woman physician who was in the audience. A young man in the audience applied artificial respiration several minutes.

An ambulance, ordered by the physician, took Mrs. Leach to the hospital.

The women with whom Mrs. Leach had gone to the program, Mrs. C. S. Timanus, 3611 East Forty-sixth, and Mrs. Hiram Elliott, 5650 Oak street, followed the ambulance to the hospital. Mrs. Timanus said Mrs. Leach had not complained of feeling ill before her collapse, and the three women had visited for several minutes before the music began.

The husband, George Elston Leach was called at the home. He and other relatives went to the hospital. Mrs. Leach was born at Columbia, daughter of the late Dr. C. O. Davidson, a physician. She was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1926 and taught in Boone County schools about five years. She had been a resident of Kansas City twenty-six years.

Mrs. Leach was a member of the County Club, Christian Church, the University Women's Club, the United States Daughters of 1812 and the Elizabeth Benton chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Surviving besides the husband is a nephew, Dr. Robert Pearman, San Luis Obispo, Calif. Funeral services will be at 10 a. m. Wednesday at the Newcomers Chapel in Kansas City with graveside services and burial at Columbia.

## Green E. Forbes

Green E. Forbes, 71, died at 2:30 a. m. Tuesday at the Community Rest Home, 209 East Seventh. He had been ill for the past three years.

Mr. Forbes was born Dec. 6, 1882, at Beaman, son of the late Z. T. and Anna Forbes and was married April 1, 1903 to Miss Stella Lee. For a period of 40 years he had been engaged in farming in Pettis County.

Surviving besides his wife, Mrs. Stella Lee Forbes, are three sons, Archie Z. Forbes, Kansas City; Leo Forbes, Council Bluffs, Ia.; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Bills, Green Ridge, and Mrs. John Prall, 718 East Third; these brothers and sisters, John and Harry Forbes, Los Angeles, Calif.; Claude Argentine, Kansas City; and Mrs. Della Stuart, Sedalia; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Two brothers, Floyd and Nile, and a sister, Miss Jessie Forbes, are deceased.

The body was taken to the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel, where funeral services will be Friday afternoon. The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist Church, to officiate.

Burial will be in the Lee Cemetery near Beaman.

The body will remain at the McLaughlin Chapel until after the services.

## Mrs. Elizabeth Clevenger

Mrs. Elizabeth Clevenger, 88, died at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the Community Nursing Home, 209 East Seventh, where she had been a patient since Feb. 26. Her home was at 1118 East 13th.

She was born at Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 10, 1865 and was daughter of John G. and Frieda Kieger. She was married to Kemp Ward Clevenger, who died Jan. 29, 1932.

She lived in Chicago before coming to Missouri in 1929 and she and her husband resided at Lincoln up to eight years ago when they moved to the home she had since occupied.

Surviving her is one son, Harold Clevenger, Kansas City.

Funeral services will be at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Thursday, the Rev. Ralph Emerson

Loose

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Mrs. Jennings died April 24, 1951.

Mrs. Mildred Ruth Smith Services

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Six uncles served as pallbearers. Mrs. A. J. Moncrief sang, "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Will the Circle Be Unbroken", accompanied by Mrs. George Daugherty.

Burial was in the Oak Wood Cemetery at Macon.

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# State Okays Highway Bids Of \$4,178,061

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. — The State Highway Commission today announced approval of \$4,178,061 in highway improvement bids, including \$3,648,804 for 62 miles of work on the major system and the rest for 104 miles of work on supplementary routes.

Those projects for which federal aid is available still must be approved by the Public Roads Administration before work can start.

Major system projects with low bidders:

U. S. 50—6.8 miles of second 24 foot concrete paving between Kansas City and Knobtown to provide a divided traffic facility. L. V. Hites Co. of Kansas City and M. W. Watson of Topeka, \$922,775.

U. S. 54—8 mile of grading and concrete paving about two miles north of Kingdom City in Callaway County, including a 250-foot bridge. Arthur Engineering Co. of Warrensburg, \$202,797.

U. S. 59—Half a mile of asphaltic concrete resurfacing in Buchanan County from the route 45 junction west toward Winthrop, Land Construction Co. of St. Joseph, \$8,318.

U. S. 60—10.8 miles grading, bridging, stabilized base and bituminous surfacing from U. S. 67 about five miles north of Poplar Bluff, west to Route B in Carter County, including a relocation of a 200-foot bridge over Crane Creek. A 93-foot span over Goose Creek and a double box culvert at Kearby Creek. Peter Kiewit Sons Co. of Omaha, \$571,678.

U. S. 60 and 166—a second 24-foot pavement between Springfield and Republic to provide divided traffic and including a 220-foot bridge over Wilson Creek. Peter Kiewit Sons Co. of Omaha, \$758,844.

U. S. 63—6.2 miles of asphaltic concrete resurfacing from West Plains southeast, Alexander Construction Co. of Minneapolis, \$86,533.

U. S. 65—11.4 miles of bituminous surfacing from Stone County line south and east toward Branson, Rock Hill Asphalt and Construction Co. of Clayton, \$83,730.

Missouri Petroleum Products Co. of Overland was low bidder on bituminous surfacing projects on Routes 14, 17 and 46. On Route 14 the bid was \$86,406 for 22 miles of surfacing between Ozark and Billings.

On Route 17 in Miller County, the bid was \$83,013 for 19.4 miles of surfacing from near Tuscumma southeast to the Palaski County line.

On Route 64 the bid was \$15,823 for four miles of surfacing from Buffalo west.

U. S. 71—a widening project to make the pavement 22 feet from St. Joseph south, went to Land Construction Co. of St. Joseph with a \$190,135 bid.

U. S. 71—7.1 miles of grading, 24-foot concrete paving and some widening and resurfacing from Tipson Ford to Neosho in Newton County. Cameron Joyce and Co. of Keokuk, Ia., \$478,732.

## Scandal Figure Dies, An Apparent Suicide

TOKYO, Japan — A prominent figure in Japan's huge shipping scandal, probe died today — an apparent suicide.

He was Toshio Miyajima, 53, director and former vice president of the big Ishi-Kawajima Heavy Industries Co.

Police said his servants found his body hanging from a rope in a storeroom at his home.

Last month Hideo Hinada, whose shipping firm had been searched, and officials questioned, jumped or fell from a Tokyo office building.

The scandals have resulted in widespread confessions, arrests and indictments involving more than a score of high government officials and industrial leaders.

Most of the charges involve bribery or kickbacks to officials from subsidized shipping interests.

Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church, to officiate. Russell Maag, will sing "Shadows" and "Abide With Me." Miss Lillian Fox will be accompanist.

The body will remain at the Gillespie Funeral Home until after services.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

## Harry Jennings

Harry Jennings, 78, Centerville, Ia., formerly of Warrensburg, died in Centerville Saturday night.

Funeral services were held there at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Burial was in a Centerville Cemetery.

Mr. Jennings was born September 13, 1875. He married Miss Eula Campbell of Knob Noster on December 7, 1904.

He was in the retail grocery business in Warrensburg, and then in the wholesale grocery business for many years traveling in this area for the house he represented.

While living in Warrensburg, he was a member of the Presbyterian Church and was on its Board of Deacons. He was on the building committee that was responsible for the present building in Warrensburg.

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They were fined \$25 each.

Magistrate Court

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Loughridge, Dee D. Johnson and Robert Jude each pleaded guilty Tuesday morning to separate charges of disturbing the peace of Mrs. Lee Kivnick at the White Spot Cafe, West Highway 30, Saturday. They were fined \$25 each.



SHOULDERS TO TRIAL—Louis Shoulders, left, resigned St. Louis, Mo., police lieutenant who captured Carl Austin Hall, the Greenlease kidnaper, walks with his attorney, Henry G. Morris, to federal district court in Kansas City, Mo., just before Shoulders went on trial, charged with perjury. Shoulders was indicted by a federal grand jury last December, charged with lying to the grand jury earlier about the handling of the \$600,000 Greenlease ransom money. (NEA Telephoto)

# Varied Testimony Given Today At Trial of Lieut. Shoulders

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Testimony varied from certain statements made at a St. Louis Police Bureau inquiry into the Greenlease kidnaper arrest was given today in the Louis Shoulders perjury trial.

Shoulders, former St. Louis Police lieutenant, is charged with lying about the handling of ransom money recovered from one of the kidnappers, Carl Austin Hall.

Shoulders and Patrolman Elmer Dolan arrested Hall, but \$303,720 of the \$600,000 ransom paid for the return of 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease still is missing.

The box was later found slain, Hall and Mrs. Bonnie Brown

Heads were executed for the crime.

Raymond Bergmeier, a St. Louis police officer who booked Hall at 8:57 p.m. on Oct. 6, said Shoulders, Hall and Dolan entered the police station together.

He said Shoulders and Dolan left the station 10 or 15 minutes after the booking and that he did not see them re-enter the station later that night.

However, he testified he saw Shoulders again around 10:30 in the station but that he did not see Dolan again that night.

Bergmeier admitted he told the police board inquiry that he saw Shoulders go back to his office in the police station about 10 p.m. and that Dolan went back with him.

Bergmeier and two other police officers, Karl Shottler and Alex Magee reiterated testimony they gave at a similar perjury trial involving Dolan, that they did not see any suitcases brought into the station at the time Hall was booked. Shoulders and Dolan told a federal grand jury they brought two suitcases containing the ransom money into the station shortly after Hall was arrested and booked.

Dolan was found guilty of perjury two weeks ago but has not yet been sentenced.

The trial drew worldwide attention as a spectacular crisis in the struggle between capital and labor.

# Rotary Attends Church Service After Luncheon

The Rotary Club met Monday at Bothwell Hotel with George Routsong, president, presiding and the invocation by Dr. Earle Collins, Marshall.

Visitors introduced by John McLaughlin were Rotarians Brian Birge, Booneville, and Dr. Collins, Marshall.

Harry Brougher introduced Melvin Jones, Smith-Cotton High School, as Junior Rotarian.

K. U. Love made a few remarks regarding the Junior Baseball league and \$300 was allocated for the Rotary team.

The program chairman, Ernest Thompson, announced at 12:30 that the club would adjourn to the First Methodist Church to attend the service sponsored by the Sedalia Ministerial Alliance, which will be held at 1:30 p. m. Monday.

Moanville, the state Senate confirmed these earlier appointments by Donnelly.

L. J. Sverdrup of St. Louis County and Frederick L. Deming of Webster Groves to the Bi-State Development Agency. Sverdrup was re-appointed to a five year term and Deming to an unexpired term ending Nov. 10.

R. Paul Buennmuller of Sikeston, Walter E. Bryan of St. Louis and William S. Spann of Kansas City, all to five year terms on the state Board of Registration for Architects and Professional Engineers.

A. C. Bass of Warrensburg to the Board of Regents for Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg.

Raymond Lucy of Parma to a new six year term on the state Commission of Resources and Development.

Denies GOP Is Split On Any Issues Now

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Leonard W. Hall, Republican national chairman, says there is "no split whatsoever in the Republican party on any issues as of the moment."

Mission Services at 8 p. m.

Spiritual Life Mission Services, which are being held each night this week at the New Bethel Methodist Church, begin at 8 p. m. instead of 7:45 p. m. as previously announced.

# Harry Orchard Dies Quietly In Prison

BOISE, Idaho — Harry Orchard, 88, who "blasted a trail of violence through the West which ended in the 1905 bomb-slaying of a former Idaho governor, died quietly early today in the state Penitentiary.

Orchard outlived the other principals of one of the nation's great courtroom dramas — William D. (Big Bill) Haywood, William E. Borah and Clarence Darrow.

When he confessed that he planted the bomb which killed Frank Steunenberg, Orchard implicated officers of the militant Western Federation of Miners.

Haywood and an associate were tried for murder and acquitted. A similar charge against a third federation official was dropped.

Orchard was sentenced to the gallows, but his sentence was commuted to life imprisonment.

He suffered a stroke last spring and was confined to bed for the last three months of his life. He lapsed into a coma last Thursday morning, and was given 36 hours to live.

But he hung on stubbornly well past the deadline. Death came at 8:09 a.m.

Steunenberg was a prosperous sheepman who had twice been elected governor on the Democratic ticket. During labor violence in the rich Coeur d'Alene mining region of north Idaho in 1899, he angered the mine federation by asking for federal troops.

Orchard was working in the Coeur d'Alene mines at the time, but escaped the "bull pens" in which the recalcitrant miners were herded. He hiked over the hills into Montana.

When he planted the makeshift bomb which Steunenberg touched off by opening his gate on Dec. 30, 1905, Orchard was posing as Thomas Hogan, a sheep buyer.

Actually, his name was Albert E. Horsley. He was born and reared in Ontario, Canada, but left his wife and child and came west under the name of Orchard.

When first arrested and arraigned, he entered no plea to the Steunenberg killing. He was taken to the penitentiary in Boise and interviewed by James McFarland, Pinkerton detective hired by the state. Finally he confessed to the Steunenberg murder and a host of other killings, attempted killings and explosions in Idaho, California and Colorado.

He said he was paid for all of them by the federation in its vendetta against mine owners, non-union workmen and public officials who opposed its views.

Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the federation, was arrested in Denver. Arrested at the same time were Charles H. Moyer, president, and G. A. Pettibone, director, of the mine union.

Darrow, later to be America's most famous defense lawyer, came from Chicago to assist in their defense.

Borah, then newly elected to the U. S. Senate, was an attorney for the prosecution.

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# Lodge Notices

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 5741, regular meeting Tuesday, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. at 1141 1/2 East Third. Ralph E. Dedrick, Commander. Shelby O. Hunter, Adjutant.

IOOF Neapolis Lodge No. 153 will meet Tuesday, April 13, 8 p. m. Visiting members welcome.

G. Lebeque, N. G. H. Jett, F. S.

Sedalia Chapter No. 57, O. E. S., will meet in stated meeting on Tuesday, April 13, 8:00 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Program by Job's Daughters and social session.

Verna Williams, W. M. Irene Augur, Sec'y.

Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 260 has been invited to attend a meeting at Lincoln, Mo., April 14, 1954. State officers will be present. Please call Noble Grand if you plan on going.

Mrs. J. R. Rany, N. G. Mrs. Charles Spiller, Sec'y.

Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 15, will hold their regular meeting at the Masonic Temple Wednesday







Merry-Go-Round  
Probe of Teamsters Union  
Is Called Off In Detroit

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON—Republican ranks are not happy over a deal put across between the teamsters union in Detroit and Postmaster General Summerfield to call off an investigation of labor racketeering in the Detroit area. In return for quashing the probe, the teamsters union in Detroit is to support Sen. Homer Ferguson, Republican for re-election.

Though publication of the facts is certain to bring ringing denials, this deal was what was behind the speech made on the floor of the house of representatives last week by Congressman Clare Hoffman of Michigan when he said that his subcommittee on labor racketeering and welfare funds "had but barely entered upon its investigations when, apparently for political reasons, it was liquidated."

It was the same Summerfield-Teamsters deal which also was behind the statement made by Congressman Wint Smith of Kansas, after a brief hearing last November, that the investigation of Detroit labor racketeering was being called off because of "pressure."

"Where does the pressure come from?" Smith was asked.

"From so high," Smith told newsmen, looking at the ceiling, "That I can't even discuss it."

Members of the committee staff, however, said it came direct from GOP House Leader Charles Halleck of Indiana. Halleck in turn was acting as a result of the Summerfield-Ferguson deal with the teamsters.

Here is the inside story of what happened.

**Teamsters Object**  
Last June, Congressman Hoffman, chairman of the government operations committee, held a preliminary probe of the teamsters union in and around Detroit, where it looked into alleged pressure on the juke box employers to make union pay-offs to Teamsters locals; also pressure on automatic car-wash employers to make pay-offs. This brought protests from Jim Hoffa, head of the teamsters union in Detroit.

Following this, on July 15, the government operations committee voted to side-track its chairman, cantankerous Clare Hoffman. This vote was not inspired by the labor matter in Detroit so much as by the fact that Hoffman is difficult to get along with and was conducting the committee's affairs as if he were its sole member.

But Hoffman, blocked by his own committee, made an end run by getting the house labor committee, of which he is also a member, to probe the Detroit teamsters. So a subcommittee, including Hoffman, Smith of Kansas, and Landrum of Georgia, continued the Detroit probe, using information gathered by the staff of the government operations committee.

**12 Teamsters Indicted**  
Meanwhile, however, Teamster head Hoffa and Bert Brennon, his right-hand man, got in touch with Postmaster General Summerfield, former GOP national committeeman for Michigan and the man who had run the Republican party in that state.

After that the Detroit probe was called off. After that also, the Teamsters, usually strong for the Democrats, leaked word that they are supporting Republican Homer Ferguson for the senate.

Meanwhile, a county grand jury sparked by the initial Hoffman investigation in Detroit has indicted 12 leading Teamsters, including William F. Buffalino, head of the juke box local; Mike Nicoletti, head of Local 247 in Detroit; and David J. Keating, head of Local 614 in Pontiac. Dave Back, national head of the Teamsters, has now suspended all of the 12 except for Buffalino, and has named Hoffa as trustee for the locals involved.

Meanwhile also, a subcommittee of the government operations committee has been probing labor practices in Minneapolis and other areas—but has been careful since last November to avoid Detroit.

**A Woman Molded History**

When Joseph Patrick Tumulty, former secretary to Woodrow Wilson, died the other day I couldn't help remembering a rainy night many years ago when another man was dying and Joe stood out in the rain until four in the morning. He stood outside because his old chief was dying and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson would not let Joe in.

And at the funeral, uninvited, Joe followed with the Negro servants in the rear.

Behind that incident is not merely a story of human emotions but of a clash which, if avoided, might have saved the peace of the world.

For, had Mrs. Wilson and Joe Tumulty pulled together instead of apart, had Mrs. Wilson not shut her husband off from the senate during the tragic debate over the League of Nations and the Versailles Treaty, they might have been ratified and the entire world might have been different.

The two people who loved Wilson most, his second wife and his secretary, have lived in Washington during the years since then, yet have never spoken to each other.

Tumulty, whose only love was Wilson, wanted him to wait until after the 1916 presidential election campaign to marry Mrs. Edith Galt. When Wilson finally decided otherwise, Tumulty said: "I'm sorry you're going to do that, governor. I was very fond of Mrs. Wilson."

"I told Edith you'd say that," replied Wilson. "Well, that's a nice way to get me started with her," shot back Tumulty, and from that day the second Mrs. Wilson was in open conflict with her husband's secretary.

Gradually they drifted further apart, so that when the League of Nations fight took place, it was Mrs. Wilson who virtually became secretary decided who should or should not see her husband.

Sen. Hitchcock of Nebraska, who led Wilson's fight for ratification, used to tell how he came to see Wilson during the League of Nations battle bringing the reservations proposed by Sen. Lodge (grandfather of the present U.S. ambassador to the UN); reservations which would not have altered the effectiveness of the league, yet would have permitted its speedy adoption by the senate.

"You haven't come to talk compromise, have you?" asked Mrs. Wilson, and in the opinion of the senators who fought for Wilson, her unyielding opposition was chiefly responsible for the defeat of the League of Nations.

Joe Tumulty had not been well for a long time. But before he passed away last week, he could

Lower Price Supports Will  
Benefit Everybody in Long Run

By Bruce Blossat

The new lowered support price for dairy products marks the first concrete step made in many years toward leading this country out of a seemingly hopeless dilemma in farm policy.

The immediate beneficiaries, of course, will be the housewives of America. They are finding butter prices down 10 to 20 cents in grocery stores, with smaller drops on cheese and dried milk.

But the action has deeper meaning than that. To carry it out, Secretary of Agriculture Benson had to resist mighty pressures from some lawmakers and dairy groups insistent upon retaining the old, higher support prices. Benson displayed notable courage in exercising the discretion on prices granted to him under the law.

He was intent upon this purpose because maintenance of rigidly high supports had produced bewildering chaos in the dairy field. Butter, cheese and other items were to some degree priced out of the market. Cheaper oleomargarine captured a substantial chunk of the butter market.

Meantime, since there were no takers for much of the abnormally high dairy output produced at unrealistic prices, the government was compelled to store it. Storage charges, through spoilage, and shortages of space, all added to the burdensome dilemma.

Today the government owns one billion pounds of dairy products. It has been unable to dispose of this huge hoard.

It was to meet this problem and to try to put butter back into real competition with its substitutes that Benson used his power to cut supports. There can be no positive assurance this will prevent the further accumulation of surpluses. But something had to be tried, and this was a logical move.

Those who opposed the action offered no constructive alternative. They simply wished to continue the old support levels, on the argument that a downward change would ruin the industry. A pretty good case could be made out that the levels they desire have taken the industry several stages down that road.

Perhaps they have forgotten what happened when potato prices were kept artificially high a few years ago. The resulting confusion and scandalous waste produced a popular uproar that led to removal of all price protection for potatoes. The same thing could happen to dairy products if consumers' ire were sufficiently aroused.

It is no mean feat to protect both the dairy farmer and the consumer. But Benson has taken a course which has more hope of being consistent with that double objective than did the old plan. In doing so, he may have pointed the way to new sanity in the whole farm program.

Make Lasting Friends--  
Don't Discuss Their Faults

By Ruth Millett

The Browns don't enjoy their friends much, nor do the friendships they make as a couple last very long.

Everything is fine in the beginning. They meet a new couple and make all the gestures toward friendship.

But once the friendship is firmly established, the Browns make a serious mistake.

They start analyzing, criticizing and picking flaws in their friends.

Each flaw in the other couple makes the Browns feel a little more smug about themselves. That is why they criticize and why they enjoy hunting out and discussing the shortcomings in others.

But it is also why they can't enjoy another couple's shortcomings and so indifferent to their good qualities that it is impossible to feel comfortable with them or to enjoy their company.

**The Endless Search**

So they quit pursuing the friendship and start out to make friends of some other promising couple. But the same old story is repeated, again and again.

A safe rule for any couple who want to make lasting friendships and to enjoy their friends is this: Don't discuss their faults.

When you talk about them, concentrate on their likable and admirable qualities.

That way their friendship will seem more valuable and you'll look forward to being with them.

If, instead you spend your time discussing the faults of friends, you'll soon come to feel that their friendship is of no importance and in short order you'll start dreading spending an evening with them, instead of looking forward to it.

Somebody Always Knows

In optimistic moments in the spring a man can lean on his rake and figure the future of mankind is safe.

Though all the books in all the libraries burn in some giant conflagration, though every written word be chewed to nothingness by weevils, we shall go on as unwaveringly as the sun.

For no matter what knowledge is needed there are two great pools which never can be dipped dry. Whatever the question, there is either a neighbor or someone down at the shop who knows the answer.

Let the warm spring breezes caress the wrinkles from your brow as you rake-lean. Let the perils, internal and external, leach from your soul.

Need to sharpen a star drill? Must you discipline your child? Your car not running properly? Open that inexhaustible encyclopedia. Your friends will draw diagrams on tablecloths, write phone numbers on match books. It is hard to shut them up.

Back to raking, fellow, all's right with the world.

Lithium which weighs about one-half as much as water, is the lightest known metal.

"The Birth of a Nation," filmed in 1915, marks the founding of the modern film.

look back over the vista of his 75 years and know that he was always faithful to one man.

'Now We'll All Sign It--Er, Won't We?'



The World Today--  
Opposes Outlawing Commies

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON—Atty. Gen. Brownell flatly opposes any attempt by Congress to pass an act outlawing the Communist party. He says it would make the job of rooting out Communists tougher.

He says he'd rather have a few strengthening changes in present laws. The government already is working against the Communists in several ways, mainly: (1) the Smith Act, passed in 1940; (2) the Internal Security Act, passed in 1950; (3) the government employees' security program, and (4) deportation.

If the party should be outlawed tomorrow the first problem facing the government would be the constitutional one. Did Congress have the right under the Constitution to outlaw the party? Getting the answer would be long drawn out.

Meanwhile, pending the outcome of a test case going all the way up to the Supreme Court, the government wouldn't try any other Communists, using up time and money that would be wasted if the Supreme Court said the law was unconstitutional.

If the court upheld the law, then the government could begin wholesale prosecution of other Communists but that would probably not be for at least two years after the passage of the law.

But the government is making mincemeat of the Communist leadership with its present machinery.

For example, the Smith Act of 1940:

Under this act it is unlawful to teach conspiracy to overthrow the government forcibly. In 1949 the government nailed the 11 top Communist leaders in the country on that charge.

They were convicted in October 1949 after a nine-month trial. They appealed, were turned down by the U. S. Court of Appeals, and appealed to the Supreme Court, which upheld their conviction on June 4, 1951.

The government could have prosecuted other party leaders in the meantime but first it wanted to see whether the Supreme Court thought their trial under the Smith Act was constitutional.

It did, but more than two years were used up between the time the 11 were brought to court and the time the high court gave its opinion. Once that was done, the government brought batch after batch of lesser Communist officials to trial.

Brownell said 105 leaders have been indicted under the Smith Act since 1948 and 67 have been convicted so far.

Government workers' security program: Brownell and President Eisen-

KILL WITH CARE

XXXI  
JIM made a pot of strong coffee in Mansfield's kitchen, and drank it black. He decided it was safe going by Pardon's report to leave the manuscripts, and the rather forlorn hope they represented to him.

The testimony of Nash and Vern Bruce supplied a reason for those wrenches. Mansfield did repair jobs, both plumbing and electrical. A man in his seventies, a writer of sorts, and yet a man who obviously enjoyed working with his hands. And yet there was the soundproofing job which had been done by Stone's company.

Jim shrugged that away. After all there was considerable difference between puttering and undertaking a reconstruction job such as that. An expensive reconstruction job.

The coffee had cleared his head, even while adding a detachment, a feeling of unreality that made objects seem shimmering and fluid.

He left the dreggy cup on the sink, made certain the fire was off in the gas stove, and found the flashlight the officer had left with him when the man went off duty.

Jim felt no sense of guilt for the fact that he had held out on Mark Richards. Or rather, that he had diverted attention so Mark had not asked a really vital question.

It was obvious, from the sheer chance which had brought Chief Dwyer to his place of death, that his choice as victim had also been a matter of chance. Any well-known or wealthy man would have served the extortioner's purpose. Yet, according to testimony, the two monsters had been on the sidewalk in front of the theater for a full 10 minutes. Why had no other appropriate victim come along? The reception, of course. Anyone who

was anyone in Colorado City had attended, with the possible exception of Peter Atwood who was so wedded to his bank. It had been sheer misfortune for Otto Drover, excellent fortune for the extortioner, that the one-time chief of police had come along.

There remained an important matter to be cleared up about Eddie Stone. According to the autopsy report, the cut on Eddie's arm matched the bloodstain inside the sleeve of the jumper or smock. The same sleeve which also held traces of Otto Drover's blood. But if Eddie had actually done the stabbing, how could the person directing the macabre affair be certain that Eddie would kill with a single blow?

THE basement, with its rows of bins, with its beams and projections, made strange and moving shadows as he walked quickly through. In the back yard, there was still more dark.

He used his flash and went directly to the portion of the fence not hidden by the shed.

He used a hold on the top of the fence, and a side of the shed to raise his head above the barrier. Bruce's house was dark, and there was no sound from it. Yet suddenly a darker shape loomed close before him, and he heard a rumbling sound.

He had released his hold, dropped back into Mansfield's side of the fence, before he realized the sound came from a cat purring. A cat seated on the long plank observation post for Bruce's pets.

Jim could still feel inquisitive, unseen eyes when he walked along the shed to its door. He used his flash at the door, found it locked. He retraced his steps to the basement, found a three-foot length of half-inch pipe, returned to use it to pry the padlock from its hasp. Screws came out of the wood with a protesting splinter. The door hinges creaked

naturalized citizens. Since January 1953, Brownell says, 200 persons with records of subversive activity or affiliation have been deported.

Internal Security Act of 1950: This was intended to make the Communist party, party members, and front groups register if, after a hearing, the party was found to be a tool of Moscow. The act was set up the Subversive Activities Control Board to hold the hearings.

It held them for 14 months on the party itself, starting April 23, 1951 and ending July 1, 1952, after 2,981,000 words of testimony by the

government and the party. The board ruled the party was a Moscow tool and ordered it to register. The party refused and went to the U. S. Court of Appeals.

The court will hear the case in a few weeks. No matter how it rules, the party or the government will appeal to the Supreme Court. So a final decision is months away. The Communist party has said neither it nor its members will register, no matter what the court decisions. If the high court upholds the act and the board and the members still don't register, they may be arrested in wholesale lots.

Looking  
Backward ...

— 1929 —

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**  
The Better Homes and Roadside Beautification Commission, Mrs. Frank Leach local chairman, was to launch a campaign April 24, in cooperation with the State Highway Department, to make the countryside along the highways more attractive.

— 1929 —  
Mayor O. B. Poundstone, D. S. Lamm, N. L. Nelson and Clarence Manker returned from Kansas City where they had been on business connected with city affairs.

— 1929 —  
S. A. Dameron and Leroy Dent left for a brief business visit at points in the southern part of Texas.

— 1929 —  
Miss Mary Hurlbut, missionary in West Africa, where she spent the past five years, was returning and was to arrive at New York and thence came to Sedalia to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut.

— 1914 —

**FORTY YEARS AGO**  
William Latour, photographer, was recovering from an illness of some weeks, and with Mrs. Latour was to make a trip to Atlanta, Ga., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Latour.

— 1914 —  
Prof. Charles Bente, an instructor in a school north of Dresden, returned there following a business visit here.

— 1914 —  
Among students at the University of Missouri home for their Easter vacation were: Luther Luckett, Willis Combs, Leonard Meyers, Clifford Van Dyne, DePerkins Sturges, Cyrus Johns and Coy Bour.

— 1914 —  
W. L. Martin, who had been employed by the MKT as checker at the car shops left for Parsons, Kan., to be chief clerk for W. H. Maddox, assistant superintendent of motive power and equipment.

Two Churches  
At Houstonia  
Plan Bible School

The Houstonia Community Church will join the Houstonia Methodist Church and have a vacation Bible school for the boys and girls of the community. It will be held May 17-28.

The time of the school will be from two to four o'clock each afternoon and the Rev. Lowell E. Ellett will be the general director. Mrs. Wallace Smiley will teach the beginners, Miss Mary Tevebaugh, the primary group. The teacher for the juniors will be Mrs. Lowell Ellett, and Mrs. Jimmie Harris will teach the junior group. The pianist is Mrs. Earl Gregory.

Those who will be assistant helpers and teachers are: Mrs. Charles Keller, Mrs. Leonard Ford, Mrs. Paul Korte, Mrs. Murray Wood, Mrs. Lowrey, Mrs. Wanneke, and Mrs. James Blackburn. Mrs. John Tolson is chairman of the committee to see that there are enough teachers and workers.

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## Bright Spot In Economy Is Building

By SAM DAWSON  
LOS ANGELES (AP)—Building is the bright spot in the economy today—and prospects of still easier financing may keep it that way for months.

Even in cities liberally sprinkled with vacant houses, new homes are being started—and sold.

New office buildings, stores, schools, hospital and marketing centers are rising to service the big population shifts and growth since the war. This type of construction usually lags behind the big rush of home building.

Both in Los Angeles and San Francisco building is running behind last spring, but it continues at a good pace. And in some of the suburbs, home building is as much as 30 per cent higher, the Building Contractors Assn. of California reports.

For the nation as a whole, the Labor and Commerce departments report the dollar volume of construction is running ahead of a year ago, and topped 74 billion dollars in the first three months.

Based on hopes of further easing of home financing terms by Congress, speculative contractors are now going ahead with home building plans around many cities, building material suppliers report. In some communities now 90 per cent of the buyers of new homes are veterans who have especially easy financing terms. In these cities, real estate agents moan because older houses can't compete with these terms and are moving slowly.

In older cities builders are also counting on projects in the blighted residential areas that ring so many business districts. If Congress votes easier terms for financing this clearing out of potential slums, a Kansas City contractor says, a big new sustainer of the construction industry will be in sight.

Here are some other twists in the building trend this spring: Most folk in Tucson, Ariz., admit the city is "overbuilt". Hundreds of houses and apartments are vacant—traced in part to a big drop in employment an aircraft parts plant that stopped defense contract work.

Yet 12 contractors have started building again in the last month or so, and one reports selling 38 homes from plans in one week. The Tucson Home Builders Assn. says most of the buyers are veterans, attracted by the latest thing in houses and by easy mortgage terms.

In Phoenix, Ariz., construction permits in March were the highest for any month in its history except April 1951. The first large downtown office building in many years is going up for the First National Bank of Arizona. And March saw permits for 119 new dwelling units in a city that has had one of the greatest home building booms in the country since the war.

### Sub-District MYF Meeting at Houstonia

The sub district MYF meeting was held at the Houstonia Methodist Church Thursday night with 60 present. Miss Betty Jane Walk, president, presided. Elaine Lowery was program leader. The theme was "Christian Citizenship". Those taking part were Betty Jane Walk, Elaine Jane Morris and Virginia Walk. The Rev. W. J. Cox also gave a talk.

After games were played, refreshments were served in the basement.

## Harold Garrett Adds Another Car To His Collection—All Antiques

Harold Garrett, 711 South New York, has just bought a car that doesn't run. He likes it because the wheels are splintered, it must be started with dry cell batteries and it has gas lights. The paint has peeled off the body and the parts are rusty. Garrett thinks he made a good purchase.

If you differ with him, it's because you aren't wrapped up in the hobby of collecting antique automobiles. His newest addition is a 1912 Hupmobile.

This makes the fourth car in his collection. He also has two Fords, 1911 and 1915, and a 1911 Maxwell.

The Hupmobile was purchased April 3 from E. C. Rothmeyer, who lives on a farm near McKittick. Rothmeyer bought the car second hand in 1921 from a Dr. Leslie in Jefferson City, who had purchased it new.

The trek to McKittick was a family affair. Garrett was accompanied by his wife, his daughter Joyce and his brother-in-law, Jack Fredrickson, 1217 East Broadway. The car was at a distance from the road and had to be hauled three-quarters of a mile with a tractor. Garrett then hauled it the 125 miles to home aboard a trailer attached to his 1949 Plymouth.

Plymouth is regarded as merely a necessity. It is too modern to be loved.

The Hupmobile has gas lights, right-hand drive and a four cylinder engine with a magneto. It has five dry cells under the driver's seat for starting the engine and it is then switched over to the magneto to save the dry cells.

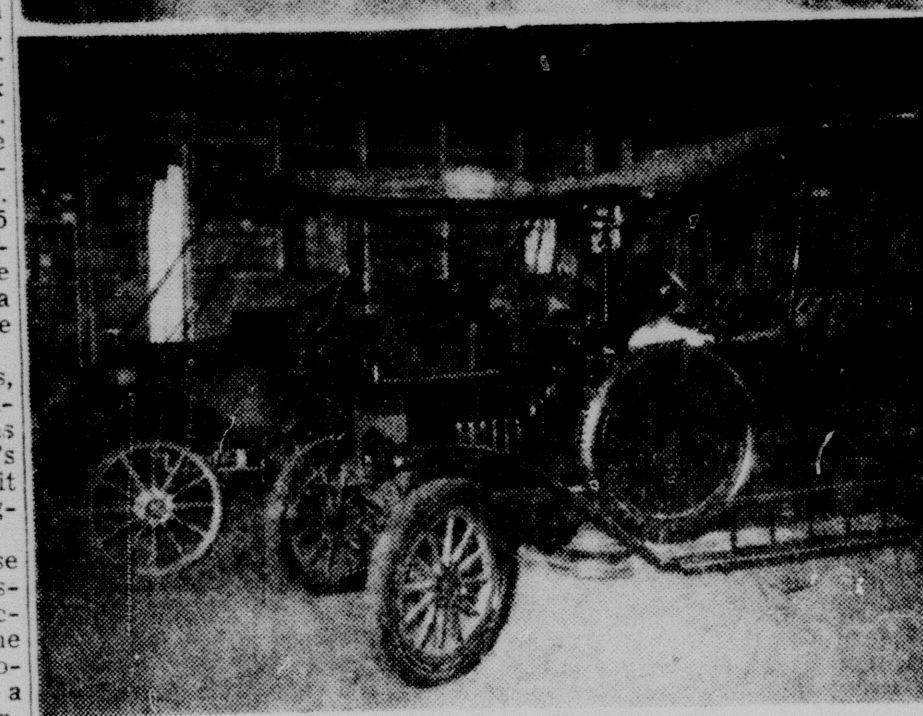
It's no easy trick to locate these cars. Garrett uses the direct system. He is constantly asking acquaintances if they know the whereabouts of an antique automobile. If he learns that such a car is known to be around a certain town, he will pile his family into the Plymouth on a Sunday and tour the area around the town, stopping at service stations to seek information and usually just keeping an eye peeled for the car itself.

Many times it will be visible from the road. The 1911 Model T Ford was purchased in Conway Springs, Kan., about 340 miles from Sedalia and hauled back on a trailer. It had been owned by a man living in the main part of Conway Springs.

On the other hand, the 1911 Maxwell had been stored in a shed on a farm outside of Martinsburg for 30 years. It still had a 1921 license plate on it. The 1915 Ford was purchased from Elmer Hare in Lincoln.

Garrett recently built a garage to hold the four cars and he still has his two-car garage if he needs more space. He talks of trying to buy a fifth antique automobile. Apparently most of the fun of collecting these cars is derived from restoring them. They are usually in miserable shape when first purchased and it takes a lot of work to put them back in order.

Garrett, who works at the MoPa



HE LIKES THEM OLD—Harold Garrett, top, stands between two of his antique automobiles in front of his two-car garage at 711 South New York. At left is the 1912 Hupmobile he just purchased and on which he has already begun repairs. At right is a 1911 Model T Ford which he has restored completely and which is in perfect running condition. He often drives around town in it. The new four-car garage he built recently is visible at far right. Below are the other two cars in his collection. In the background is the 1911 Maxwell, with the 1915 Ford in front of it. (Staff Photos)

shops, has a small shop in his two-car garage. And nearly all his spare time is spent restoring his automobiles to running condition. The 1911 Ford runs like a charm.

If anyone knows where Garrett can find another old automobile that does not run, somewhere around the vintage 1910 to 1915,

he would like to know about it. This is one second-hand car business that emphasizes the age of its stock.

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## HST Warns Not to Tear Selves Apart

FULTON, Mo. (AP)—Harry Truman declared last night that in fighting a fifth column in the United States "we should be sure that we do not fall into the trap of adopting the totalitarian tactics of the Communists themselves."

"The nature of the Communist conspiracy is such that in combating it we have had to scrutinize, very closely, the lives of many citizens," the former President said. "This is part of the struggle against espionage. But in resisting the enemy, we must not tear ourselves apart."

He said that demagogues in this country "are playing on our fears to further partisan political ends." Speaking about "political bogey-men who proclaim themselves custodians of our freedom," he apparently referred to Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) without mentioning his name when he remarked:

"There is even one among them whose torrent of wild charges is calculated to damage the faith of Americans in the integrity of their Westminster College, where he was scheduled to give another talk today on his presidential papers."

He delved into "mass hysteria and witch hunting in American history" and said that witch hunters "are on the loose again, often cloaked with immunity, and armed with subpoenas and the cruel whip-lash of unevaluated gossip."

He said history is filled with examples of temporary mob excite-

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It was testified they took three copper rain spouts off garages, mashed them and tossed them into their junk wagon. The spouts were worth \$10 apiece.

On various occasions, down through the years, mass hysteria has gripped the populace for temporary periods, resulting in a witch hunt," he added. "There is a common pattern in the development of this hysteria."

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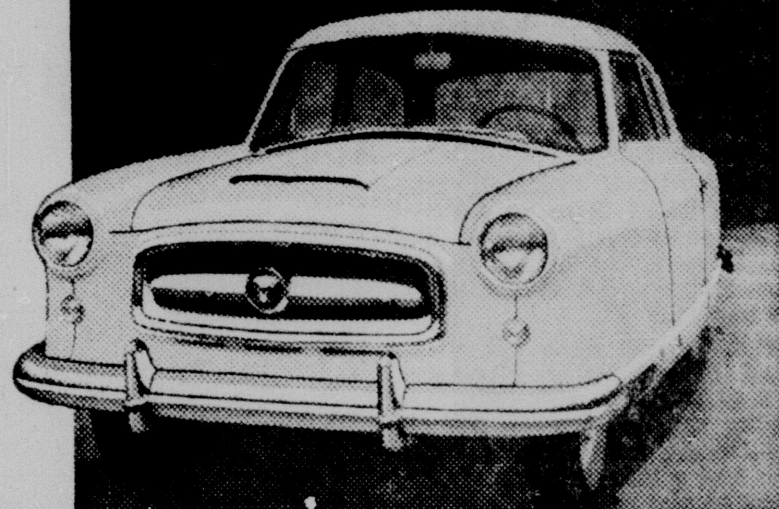
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## S-C Trounces California Hi In Track Meet

**Tigers Set All New Records in First Meet at Stadium; Case Wins 4 Events**

The Smith-Cotton High School Tigers track team scored 95 1/2 points to win a practice dual meet with the California High School track team at the new stadium Monday afternoon. The Tigers scored first in all events with the exception of the 880 yard relay. The swift California team managed to gain on S-C's unexpected mistake, a bad hand-off, and won out at the finish line. All events were considered Smith-Cotton records for the new stadium as this was their first meet to be held there.

Bobby Case again showed his ability as a trackster as he placed first in four events. He took first in the 100 yard dash, the 220 yard dash, the broadjump, and the 180 yard high hurdles.

Richard "Buck" Bennett possessed his usual form as he took first in the shotput and the high jump. Bennett threw the shotput 43 feet and breezed over the high jump bar at 5' 6".

The 440 yard dash proved to be one of the most interesting events of the day. Jim Ellis, who has won the 440 honors for the Smith-Cotton team thus far this season had a little trouble staying in front of the quartermilers. The other entrants in the event, Jim Self and Norman Griswold, gave Ellis a battle all the way.

Time for the quartermile was 54.6.

The 880 yard run found Dave Menefee, the Smith-Cotton ace half-miler, taken the event with a remarkable time of 2:09. Menefee took the half mile at the Smith-Cotton, Jefferson City and Columbia triangular meet the past Friday with a time of 2:12.

Van Van Dyne, the sophomore high hurdler took his event with ease. His time for clearing the hurdles was 1:64. Tom Noland finished behind Van Dyne to give S-C the 1-2 positions.

Lytle Brown, S-C's senior miler, took the mile with a 5:03.9 time.

Glenn Stockstill cleared the polevault bar at 11' to capture the event. Tom Noland placed second and Dick Rodick tied for third.

Dave Alexander, the senior discus entrant, heaved the discus 117' 8 1/2" to win himself a first place. Alexander took fourth in last Friday's triangular meet.

The relay team, with Elroy Burton, Jim Self, Norman Griswold and Jim Ellis, took the final event with little opposition. Their time was 3:41, a three seconds improvement over the recent triangular meet.

120 yard HH—Van Dyne, S-C; Noland, S-C; Graham, Cal.

Time—1:64.

100 yard dash—Case, S-C; Morris, Cal.

Time—1:08.

220 yard dash—Case, S-C; Geiger, Cal.

Time—2:09.

880 yard run—Menefee, S-C; Walters, S-C; Geiger, Cal.

Time—2:09.

440 yard run—Ellis, S-C (tie); Self, S-C (tie); Griswold, S-C.

Time—54.6.

180 yard hurdles—Case, S-C; Van Dyne, S-C; Graham, Cal.

Time—2:17.

880 yard run—Menefee, S-C; Walters, S-C; Geiger, Cal.

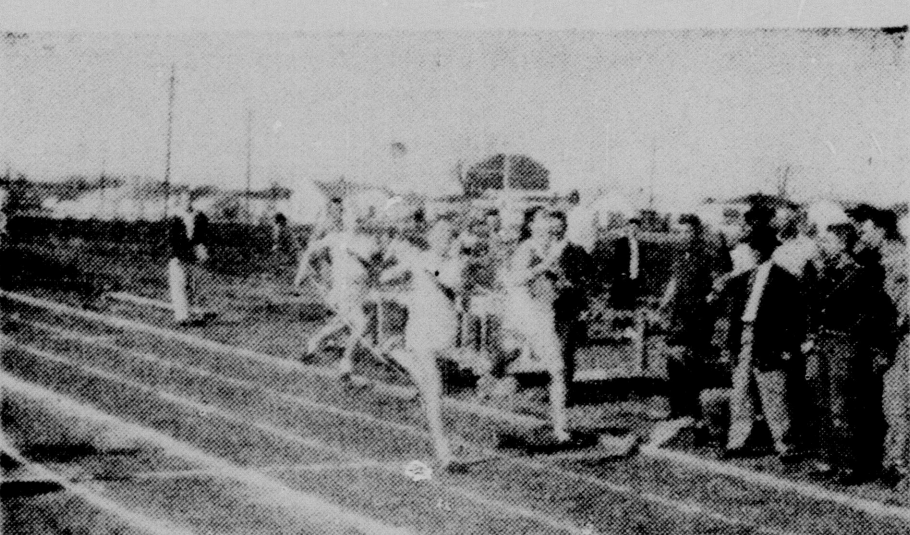
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220 yard dash—Case, S-C; Lebeck, Cal.

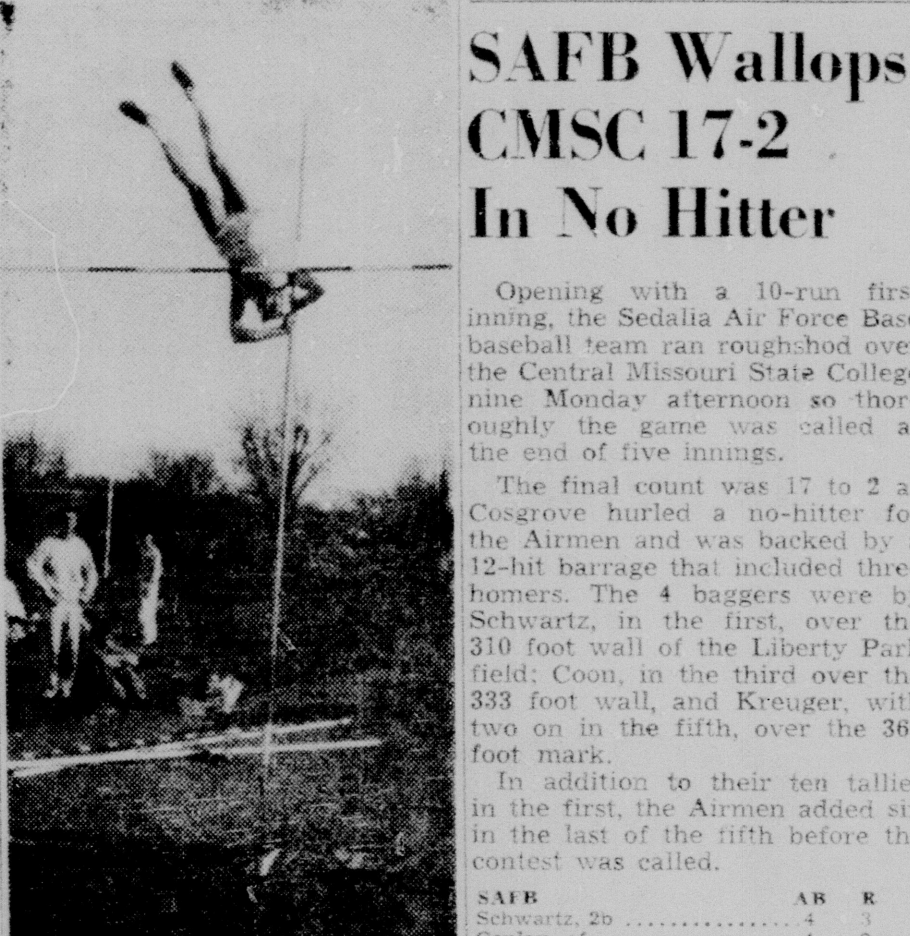
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**TIE IN 440 YARD RUN**—Jim Ellis and Jim Self break the tape together at the end of the 440 yard run against California High School in 54.6 to set a record in the new stadium. Following closely is Norman Griswold, also of Smith-Cotton. (Staff Photos)



**STOCK STILL GOES OVER**—Glenn Stockstill soars 11 feet in the polevault to set a record for the new stadium.



**WINS HALF-MILE**—Dave Menefee finishes far ahead to set a record, 2:09, in the half-mile at the Jennie Jaynes Lewis Stadium.

## Savannah Wins 41st Tri-State Track Meet

TARKIO, Mo., #—Savannah won the 41st annual Tri-State Invitational High School Track Meet here yesterday.

Team scores included: Savannah 20 1/2; Glenwood, Iowa, 20 1/2; College Springs, Iowa, 17; Tarkio 12; Griswold, Iowa, 11 1/2; Maryville Horace Mann 10 1/2; Elliott, Iowa, 10 1/2; Dawson, Neb., 10; Albany 7 1/2; Rockport, Mo., 7; Sidney, Iowa, 5; Oregon 3; Verdon, Neb., 3.

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## Major Leagues Open Season Today

**It Promises to Be One of Most Interesting Years Yet For the Sport With Slaughter-Yanks as the Question**

NEW YORK #—The major leagues today opened what promises to be one of the most interesting baseball seasons in many years.

Rarely has a campaign started with so many vital questions waiting to be answered. The latest and perhaps the most important is: How much will Enoch Slaughter help the New York Yankees?

Did the five-time pennant-winning Yankees insure another flag when they acquired the 38-year-old Slaughter on the eve of the pennant race? Or did they blow their chance when they sold star pitcher Vic Raschi to the Cardinals six weeks earlier?

The answer may be a long time coming. The prospects are for close races, both league and division, as the season progresses.

For the first time in years all 16 clubs started the campaign on the same day. Some 215,000 fans were expected to see the eight inaugurations.

Slaughter, on hand for the Yankees' opener in Washington, was expected to see action, but Mickey Mantle, the young outfield star, was slated for duty in center field, apparently recovered from his knee operation of last winter.

A scout of 30,000 was assured to watch President Eisenhower throw out the first ball. After that, either left-hander Chuck Stobbs or right-hander Bob Porterfield was to take the mound for the Senators. Southpaw Whitey Ford, who holds a 5-0 lifetime record against Washington, already has been named to open for the Yankees.

A battle of southpaws was in prospect in Philadelphia, where Eddie Joost was making his managerial debut with the A's. Mel Parnell of the Boston Red Sox and Bobby Shantz of the Athletics were the opposing pitchers. A turnout of 12,000 was expected.

Each team's key slugger was absent. Ted Williams, whose fractured collarbone was reported mending rapidly, is not expected back in the Red Sox lineup until May 15 at the earliest. Gus Zernial was out of the Athletics' lineup with a sprained neck.

Baltimore, returning to the majors after 51 years, hoped to get off on the right foot in Detroit. Manager Jimmy Dykes, who moved from Philadelphia to Baltimore, planned to start either Duane Pillette or Don Larsen on the mound. A crowd of 30,000 was slated to see veteran right-hander Steve Gromek make the first pitch for the Tigers.

The National League's largest crowd—some 35,000—figured to be on hand for the renewal of the Dodger-Giant feud at the Polo Grounds. Sal Maglie, who has beaten the Dodgers 18 times in 24 decisions, was ready to test his once-aching back against the Brooklyn, who had Carl Erskine, the World Series hero, fit and ready.

The Dodgers, except for Manager Walter Alton, presented the same lineup that appeared in the series last October and the Giants had Willie Mays, their rookie star of 1951, back in center field after two years in the Army.

Cincinnati, opening the season at home for the 69th straight year, will host the Braves, who had rookie Henry Aaron in the lineup in place of the injured Bobby Thomson. A capacity crowd of 30,000 was assured long ago to watch this battle of right-hander, with veteran Bud Poffelbush going for the Redlegs against sophomore Bob Buhl. Making his managerial bow for Cincinnati was Birdie Tebbets.

A revamped Pittsburgh team, which opened at home for the first time since 1893, was set to face Philadelphia's ace Robin Roberts with a lineup composed of such hard-bitten veterans as Walker Cooper and Sid Gordon and fuzzy-faced youngsters as Curt Roberts and Gail Allie. Bob Friend, who pitched sensationally in exhibition games, was expected to be on hand.

Rookie Wally Moon was scheduled for duty in center field, Alex Grammas at shortstop and Tom Alston at first base as the Cardinals played host to the Chicago Cubs in St. Louis before about 18,000. The Cubs, under Stan Hack, who replaced Ed Cavarretta only a couple of weeks ago as manager, also boasted three newcomers in the lineup.

They are center fielder Bob Talbot, shortstop Ernie Banks and second baseman Gene Baker. Harvey Haddix, a 20-game winner for the Redbirds last year, was named to oppose veteran southpaw Paul Minner.

ST. LOUIS #—Jim Johnston has pitched two straight no-hitters for the Normandy High School Vikings but he's lost both games by the same 1-0 score.

The southpaw, a senior, hurled a no-hitter yesterday against suburban Clayton, but he walked four men in the first inning to force in the only run.

Jim held Ferguson High School hitless last Thursday but a walk, two errors by his teammates and a walk with the bases loaded forced in the lone run. His team got two hits in each game.

## MINOR LEAGUE Results

Texas League  
Dallas 3, Houston 0  
San Antonio 12, Fort Worth 4  
Oklahoma City 5, Beaumont 3  
Shreveport 5, Tulsa 2

## Sneed Whips Both Hogan And the 'Yips'

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 13 #—Sam Sneed, the drawing West Virginian, made two conquests in winning his third Masters golf championship—he beat Ben Hogan by one stroke in their 18-hole playoff and also licked a bad case of "yips."

"Yips" is a Sneed-coined word the Sneeders use to describe putting jitters, and he said before the tournament he was in the midst of the worst case of his career.

But Sam handled his putter adequately yesterday and came home in two-under-par 70 to Hogan's 71. The victory bracketed Sneed with Jimmy Demaret as a three-time Masters winner. Hogan, too, was seeking his third Masters title, and had hoped to become the first man ever to capture two in succession.

This was the third time the two had met in man-to-man competition, and Sneed has come out on top every time. He beat Ben in a San Francisco match play tournament before the war and again in their 1950 playoff for the Los Angeles Open crown.

It was Hogan's second Masters playoff, and his second defeat. Byron Nelson beat him by one stroke over this same hilly Augusta National course in 1942.

Sneed picked up \$5,000 for his victory and Hogan got \$3,125. Each also got an undisclosed percentage of the playoff gate.

Billy Joe Patton, the sensational amateur who almost won, got another thrill last night—he was invited to play golf with President Eisenhower.

"I'm going back to Morganton (N. C.) for a dinner they are having in my honor Wednesday night," Billy Joe said. "I'm coming back to play golf with President Eisenhower Friday."

The President is scheduled to fly here tomorrow for a golfing vacation.

Patton, a 31-year-old wholesale lumber man, tied for the Masters lead in the first round and moved out front by himself in the second. He faltered in the third, however, and fell five strokes back of Hogan.

## Little League Practices Set

The schedule of practice sessions for the Little League major teams has been set up for the Little League stadium and for the high school field as follows:

At Little League Park  
Elks—Monday, April 12.  
Adco—Tuesday, April 13.  
Lions—Wednesday, April 14.  
J-C—Thursday, April 15.  
Rotary—Friday, April 16.  
Kiwanis—Saturday, April 17.  
Democratic—Morning.  
Rotary—Morning, Saturday, April 24.  
J-C—Afternoon.

Elks—Monday, April 26.  
Optimist—Tuesday, April 27.  
Adco—Wednesday, April 28.  
Democratic—Thursday, April 29.  
J-C—Friday, April 30.  
Kiwanis—Morning, Saturday, May 1.  
Democratic—Afternoon.

Lions—Monday, May 17.  
Democratic—Tuesday, May 18.  
Elks—Wednesday, May 19.  
Adco—Thursday, May 20.  
J-C—Friday, May 21.  
Rotary—Morning, Saturday, May 22.  
J-C—Afternoon.

Kiwanis—Monday, May 24.  
Lions—Tuesday, May 25.  
Elks—Wednesday, April 26.  
Democratic—Thursday, May 27.  
Lions—Friday, May 28.  
Rotary—Morning, Saturday, May 28.  
Kiwanis—Afternoon.

At High School  
Lions—Monday, Tuesday, April 13.  
Optimist and Adco—Tuesday, 15.  
J-C and Lions—Tuesday 27.  
Rotary and Optimist—Thursday 28.  
Elks and Kiwanis—Tuesday 4.  
Rotary and Adco—Thursday 6.  
Democratic and Rotary—Thursday 11.  
Optimist and Elks—Thursday 13.  
Optimist and Lions—Thursday 18.  
Democratic and Kiwanis—Thursday 20.  
Democratic and Optimist—Tuesday 25.  
Elks and Kiwanis—Thursday 27.

## Cards Opening Against Cubs With Rookies

ST. LOUIS #—The St. Louis Cardinals, with six starters who have less than two years of major league experience, open the National League season against Chicago's Cubs here today.

The Cardinals' "big gamble" puts rookies Tom Alston at first base, Alex Grammas at shortstop and Wally Moon in center field.

Moon replaces veteran Enoch Slaughter, 37-year-old veteran traded to the New York Yankees Sunday, Alston, the first Negro to appear in a Cardinal uniform, and Grammas are \$100,000 investments.

Moon, a native of Bay, Ark., has seen only one major league game. That came in 1950 when he came to St. Louis to sign with the Cardinals. His contract was officially purchased from Rochester yesterday.

Rip Repulski, who with third baseman Ray Jablonski is a sophomore, will shift from center to right field.

Left fielder Stan Musial, second baseman Al (Red) Schoendienst and catcher Del Rice are the only Cardinal veterans in the lineup.

The Cubs, with new manager Stan Hack at the helm, also have three newcomers in the lineup—Ernie Banks at short, Gene Baker at second and Bob Talbot in center. All appeared briefly with the Cubs last season.

Hack, in a surprise move, named Paul Minner, 12-15 last season, as his starting pitcher over ace right-hander Bob Rush. He will be opposed by Harvey Haddix, who won 20 and lost 9 in his first season with the Cards last year. Both are southpaws.

About 18,000 fans are expected at remodeled Busch Stadium, which seats 30,500. Cloudy skies and a temperature in the low 70s are expected.

The probable lineups and batting orders:

ST. LOUIS  
Repulski, rf  
Moon, cf  
Schoendienst, 2b  
Musial, lf  
Jablonski, 3b  
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Alston, 1b  
Grammas, ss  
Rice, c  
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Haddix (20-9) p

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## Symphony Future Now Is Question

NEW YORK (AP)—It was a musician's dream, but for the moment it's over.

Ever since the NBC Symphony Orchestra was formed 17 years ago for the fiery maestro Arturo Toscanini, it has been a sort of mecca for the men who make music.

Today, now that its 87-year-old guiding genius has retired, no one is sure, officially or otherwise, just what the future of America's most widely heard symphony orchestra will be.

"We just don't know yet," a National Broadcasting Co. spokesman said.

Toscanini's plans also are uncertain. For the time being, he's at his Manhattan home, occupied with listening to his orchestra's recent recordings, appraising their quality.

In each case, his word is law as to whether a record shall be released.

Sometime in May or June he plans to go home to Italy, just as he usually does in summer. But he hasn't said whether, as usual, he'll come back in autumn. He has no plans, just now, for conducting again—anywhere.

No matter what its future, the story of the NBC Symphony, and the dynamic little man who moulded and polished it to jewel-like excellence, will remain a memorable drama in musical history.

It began in the summer of 1937, from the moment NBC announced it was bringing Toscanini, then 79, back from Europe and forming an orchestra for him. He had retired after a decade conducting the New York Philharmonic.

Right at first, NBC said, top musicians made themselves available—from orchestras in Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, San Francisco and elsewhere.

"It wasn't then and never has been a matter of finding 'first desk' musicians for the orchestra," the spokesman said. "It was a matter of taking the pick among the best."

What made the orchestra a sort of paradise for players?

Several things. The pay was high. The audience was the biggest any musical organization had. Few other orchestras offered the chance for 52 weeks of concerts a year. Recordings were frequent.

But one of the strongest attractions was the opportunity of playing under Toscanini, who even then was recognized as probably the foremost conductor of the world.

Original assembling of the orchestra went on for several months. There were about two months of auditions, of culling, of shifting, selecting.

Then, with the approximately 100 chairs filled, three leading conductors, Pierre Monteux, Arthur Rodzinski and William Steinberg, were brought in to put the musical machine through its first, breaking-in paces.

"An orchestra is not an orchestra until it plays together," the spokesman said. "A hundred musicians are just that—a hundred musicians—until they develop cohesiveness. Then they're an orchestra."

The preliminaries—the rehearsal concerts—went off smoothly that fall of 1937. Toscanini arrived from Milan in December. He put the organization through more trial runs, tempering, blending it.

Then, on Christmas night, in NBC's Studio H, where the orchestra was to play so often in its 17 years, the little maestro stepped to the podium, and over the air went the first delicate notes... the strains of Vivaldi's Concerto Grosso in D Minor.

It was a new, major step in bringing fine, classical music regularly into American homes.

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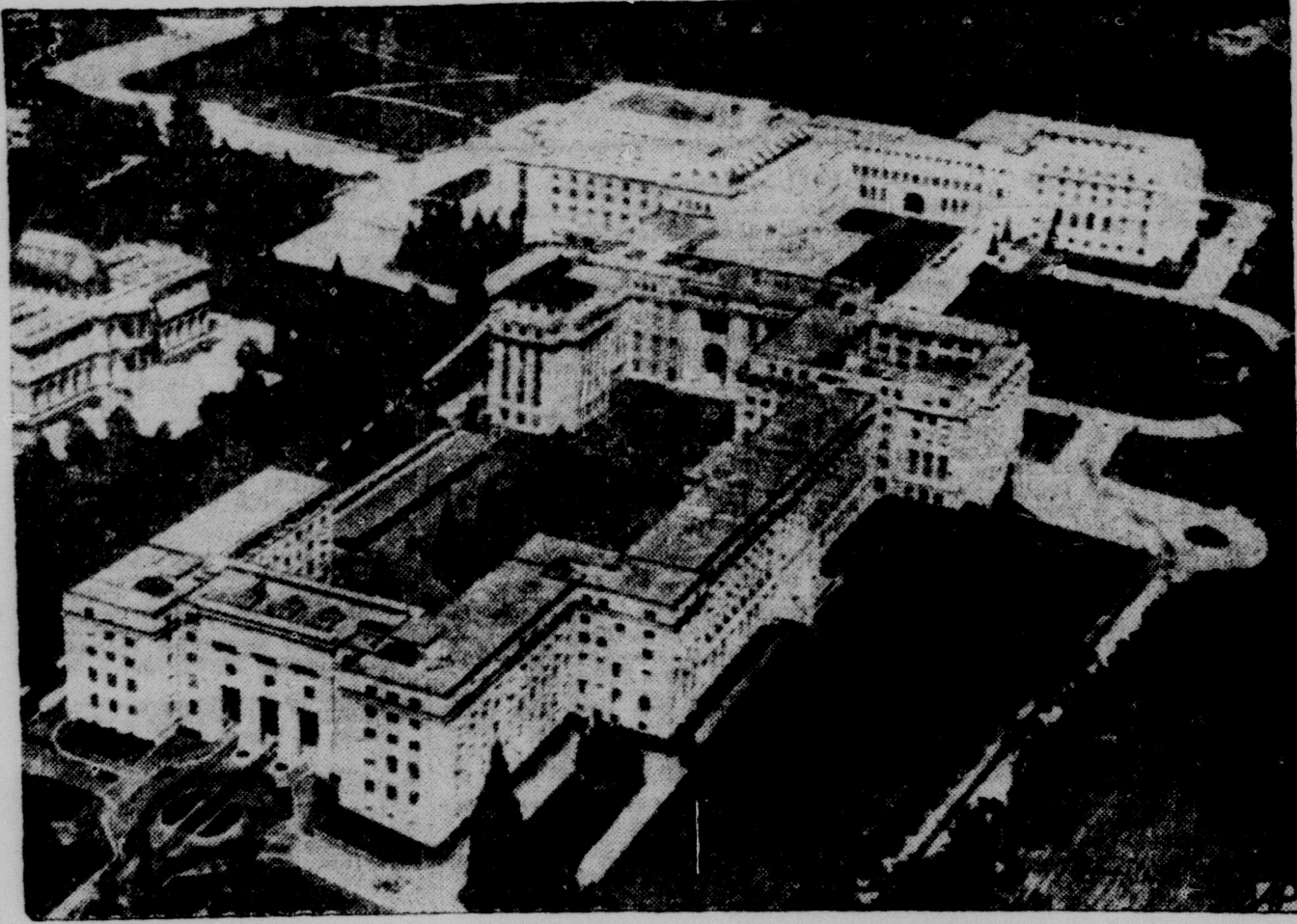
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**SITE OF GENEVA CONFERENCE**—This is an air view of the Palace of Nations in Geneva, Switzerland, where the pressing Indo-China and Korean problems will be discussed in the conference opening April 26. The Big Three western powers are scheduled to face the communists in the Palace of Nations conference hall in an attempt to solve the Korean stalemate and the vital South-east Asia conflict. (AP Wirephoto)

## AFL League Endorses James Roosevelt

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The AFL's California Labor League for political education closed its meeting last night with an endorsement of the candidacy of James Roosevelt, seeking the Democratic nomination in the state's 25th District.

Also endorsed was incumbent Rep. Robert L. Condon, Contra Costa Democrat.

Both men were informed recently that the National Democratic Committee would not support them.

Roosevelt is campaigning despite a separate maintenance suit earlier this year in which his wife charged him with adultery. Condon had been banned by the Atomic Energy Commission from witnessing atomic tests at the Nevada Proving Grounds.

Gene Parrott and Phyllis Cooper, seniors in the Knob Noster High School, are winners in an essay contest sponsored nationally by the National Federation of Women's Clubs, and locally by the Knob Noster Progressive Club.

Their essays on "What America Means to Me" will be sent to the district elimination contest.

This contest was open to all high school students. Seventy pupils wrote essays and eleven of these were chosen to enter the contest.

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## County Cannot Deny Liquor License In Mo.

JEFFERSON CITY (AP)—No Missouri county court can pass up on the qualifications of any man to retail liquor within the county if the man has a state license to sell intoxicants, the state Supreme Court held yesterday. The county can do no more than charge a local license fee.

The case came up from Douglas County where two Ava retailers, Basil Spurlock and Lee Floyd, were denied county licenses last summer.

The Supreme Court ordered the county court to issue their licenses at once.

The county court had pleaded that, on the local scene, could better judge a man's qualifications to sell liquor than could the state liquor control supervisor. But the retailers' attorneys argued that if the county could control licensing, beyond setting the amount of the fee, it would amount to local option control of liquor sales.

The Supreme Court held that under the present Missouri liquor control law, only the state has authority to set the license fee and collect it, the Supreme Court said.

In other action, the court: Appointed David Donnelly of Lebanon, son of Gov. Phil M. Donnelly, and John W. Oliver of Kansas City to membership on the state Board of Law Examiners.

Reappointed Leon P. Embury of California, Mo., the Law Examining Board.

Awarded \$30,000 to Lloyd Triplett who was injured in an accident June 8, 1952, near Macon, Mo. The judgment was against Beeler Motor Co. of Lancaster, Mo., and a company employee, Floyd Roberts, Triplett was riding with Roberts at the time of the accident.

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## Smithton Ag Class Guest of Otterville Boust-Saddles Club

The Otterville Boust and Saddle Club met Saturday evening at the club rooms, with the Smithton agricultural class as guests. Elizabeth Lisle Thomas and Donnie Rogers led Easter games, and Herbert Rogers and Robert Lisle Thomas gave impersonations.

The club plans to give an entertainment benefit for a shirt fund in the near future.

Refreshments were served by hostesses Eva Cave and Bea Smith. The next meeting will feature a wiener roast in late May, with Gus and Wanda Cave as hostesses.

## Knob Noster Cemetery Association Installs

The Knob Noster Cemetery Association held its annual meeting at the Bank of Knob Noster Monday afternoon.

Officers were installed as follows: president, C. L. Saults; vice president, Lee Williams; secretary, H. C. Schlusing; assistant secretary, H. A. Wimer; and treasurer, Milton Kendrick. The other board members are S. L. Adams.

Mrs. C. F. Covey read the reports of the secretary and treasurer of the Cemetery Association.

**Civil Service Openings**

The Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for band examiners and tobacco inspectors and is establishing an eligible list for safety inspectors. Further information may be obtained from W. E. Botts, local secretary, at the Sedalia post office.

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## Sacred Heart News— Girls Are Told Of WAAC, WAF

By Barbara Lamy

Monday afternoon Sacred Heart's senior girls were given a close insight into the various fields of the United States women's service branches. Impressed by the frankness and enthusiasm of the speakers, Lt. Contois, a member of the WAAC, and Airman Potter, a WAF, the girls are now ambitiously planning military careers.

Members of the Sacred Heart athletic teams met with the athletic director, Rev. A. Migoni, C.P.P.S., in the S.H.S. gymnasium Monday morning. The purpose of the meeting was to certify the authenticity of the letters and stripes to be presented at the annual athletic banquet and to plan the banquet. The tentative date set for the athletic banquet is April 29.

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## Denies He Bit Off Woman's Finger

BALTIMORE (AP)—Accused of biting off a woman's finger, 38-year-old Benjamin Bell was held in \$1,000 bail for grand jury action yesterday.

He pleaded innocent but admitted he and a neighbor, Elizabeth Robinson, fought after she got angry when he stuck his finger into a pot of fish on her stove.

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8 THE SEDALLA DEMOCRAT—Sedalia, Mo., Tues., April 13, 1954

I—Announcements

5—Funeral Directors  
INVESTIGATE GILLESPIE FUNERAL benefit plan. Phone 175 of write today.  
7—Personals  
TRASH HAULING, all kinds. Hollis Shull. Phone 2095-R.  
CAMPAIGN MATCHES: Union made. Shortie Clark. Phone 2950 or 2201.  
WATKINS PRODUCTS: Moved to 1602 South Grand. Phone 1011. Powell Cain.  
PICTURE FRAMING: Experienced work. manship, reasonable. Bowman's, 608 South Ohio. Phone 77.  
OLD GOLD, DIAMONDS and Jewelry wanted. Highest cash prices paid. The Treasure Shop (Next to Fox Theatre).  
\$1.00 DOWN \$1.00 week will buy any diamond ring in our large stock. No carrying charge. Reed and Son Jewelers, 308 South Ohio. Phone 82.  
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KANSAS CITY STAR, a great newspaper value at \$174 per month, delivered each morning, evening and Sunday (13) issues a week. For the latest news call Harry Brouder. Phone 292, 308 South Ohio.  
INFORMATION WANTED: If there is anyone in Sedalia that remembers Catherine and Joseph Murphy in 1886 who they please write me. Donna Derry, 611 South Ardmore Avenue, Los Angeles, California.  
AUTHORIZED SUNEAM, Remington, Schick, Norelco razors. Up to \$7.50 trade-ins. 20 day free trial period. \$1.00 down. \$50 weekly no carrying charge. Reed and Son Jewelers, 308 South Ohio. Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 82.  
TRADE IN YOUR OLD WATCH on Bulova's, Elgin's, Hamilton's. No interest or carrying charge. Use our easy credit plan. Reed and Son Jewelers, 308 South Ohio. Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 82.  
10—Strayed, Lost, Found  
LOST: Bi Focal dark rim glasses, in case. Reward. Phone 6008 or 5853.  
STRAYED: DOG, black and brown, short tail, male. Stray collar. Ideal Packing Company. Phone 837.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale  
1948 CROSLY new block. \$125.00. Huletts Market, Phone 130 LaMonte.  
1950 OLDSMOBILE "88". One owner. Clean. \$895. 2110 East Broadway.  
1950 Nash Statesman, Heater, overdrive. Excellent condition. 612 North Quincy.  
1950 PONTIAC CATALINA, radio, heater, 500 cc. motor, no carrying charge. Reed and Son Jewelers, 308 South Ohio. Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 82.  
1951 DODGE CORNET Sedan, like new, radio, heater, hydramatic, \$1070. Routsong's, 397.  
1951 CHEVROLET Deluxe Tudor, radio, heater, original black-like new. \$895. Routsong's, 397.  
1951 OLDSMOBILE Super 88 Sedan, radio, heater, hydramatic, clean, \$1495. Routsong's, 397.  
1949 CUSTOM FORD TUDOR, radio, heater, clean. Low mileage. Private owner. Phone 1417.  
1948 FORD 1958, 1947 Chevrolet \$275. 1951 Nash \$575. 1948 Buick \$375. Jensen's Motors 540 East 3rd.  
1950 PLYMOUTH 4-door, good condition, \$565. 1951 Ford, good condition, \$745. Inquire D. X. Station, 6th and Lamine.  
1951 MERCURY SEDAN, radio, heater, one owner. 1948 Buick \$375. Take small trade. Phone 1433 after 5:30 p. m. All day Sunday.  
1952 FORD V-8 Tudor, heater, good condition. \$875. 1951 V-8 Custom 4-Door, radio, heater, overdrive, \$795. 1950 Oldsmobile 88, 4-Door, fully equipped, \$795. 1947 Plymouth 4-Door, fully equipped, \$550. 1949 Chevrolet Coupe, radio, heater, new tires, \$100. Phone LaMonte 23-2-21.  
1950 FORD PICKUP, 32,000 actual miles, like new. 1949 convertible, fully equipped, overdrive, extra good, 40,000 miles. 1952 Ford, extra good, radio, heater, overdrive. Several 1947 and 1948 Fords and Chevrolees. Several cheap deals. 1940 and 1941's. International Pickup 4's, ton. 1951 Nash Hydramatic, Hunt's Used Cars, 606 West Main, Phone 7.

11A—House Trailers for Sale

HOUSE TRAILER, new and used. Easy terms 24 to 48 months. Liberal trade in. We trade for furniture, White Spot Tourist Camp, 1/2 mile West on 50 Highway. Phone 4259.  
12—Auto Trucks for Sale  
1951 1/2 TON PICKUP Ford. \$645. Good. 1616 South Sneed.  
1949 INTERNATIONAL truck. 1 1/2 ton grain bed and racks. \$370-M-2.  
DODGE PICK-UP 1/2 Ton. Same as new, only 6,000 miles. Priced for quick sale. Phone 3275-R-4.  
13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts  
GUARANTEED BATTERIES, \$5 exchange. Best Tire, Second and Osage.  
BRAKE SERVICE: New Barrett drum brake and true and equip. Wagner and American Brakeblock service parts. Free estimates. Chamberlains Service Garage, West Highway 30, Sedalia, Missouri.  
14—A—Garages  
SAVE MONEY, up to 50% on your car repair. Money back guarantee. Janzen's, 540 East 3rd. 517.  
15—Motorcycles and Bicycles  
BICYCLE: Decorated. Earl Leaton, Ottaville. Phone 3120, after 3:30 p. m.  
1946 HARLEY DAVIDSON, 76 Motor-cycle, Stevens. Tractor Company, Main and Lamine.

III—Business Service

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage  
LIVESTOCK HAULING, anywhere, trailer or truck. Helman Greiser. Phone 412.  
DAN DOTY'S MID-STATE Storage. Dependable service. Storage, packing and crating insured movers. Local or long distance Lamine and Missouri Pacific Trucks. Phone 945.  
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118 N. Lamine Phone 946  
26—Painting, Papering, Decorating  
HANGING AND CLEANING PAPER. 212 1/2 South Ohio, upstairs.  
PAINTING, PAPER HANGING. All work guaranteed. Jay Nicholson Jr. 2989-W.  
HOUSE PAINTING: Work guaranteed. Free estimates. Prices reasonable. Phone 4168-J.  
30A—Tailoring  
JOHN THIESSE, TAILOR and alterations. 212 1/2 South Ohio, upstairs.  
REWEAVING, mending, altering men's suits and trousers. 1017 West 16th. Phone 3496-W.  
IV—Employment  
32—Help Wanted—Female  
EXPERIENCED GENERAL COOK. Apply in person. B. and H. Cafe.  
LADY to share home and help care for elderly lady. Rent free. Call 5265-R-4 after 6 P.M.  
STENOGRAPHER: Must be experienced in shorthand and typing. Good working conditions and pay. Bankers Guaranty Life Company.  
IMMEDIATE OPENING  
In Sedalia and surrounding territory. Excellent opportunity for women between the ages of 25 and 50 who can work full or part time. Car and phone necessary. The work is pleasant, dignified, and the hours will suit your convenience. No canvassing, delivery or collecting. See  
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33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED: A well drilled. Phone 5328-W-1.  
PHARMACIST WANTED: Experienced. Write Box "32" Sedalia Democrat.  
WANTED: Used car mechanic. See Dan Eubner, at Mike O'Connor Used Car Reconditioning Department, 4th and Osage.  
SALES MANAGERS POSITION open. Attractive salary and override contract. Prefer person with Life Insurance or allied experience. Write Box "42" Democrat.  
MEN, age 25 to 45 to take over built up business in or near Sedalia. Will guarantee next salary \$75 weekly plus commission. Car and references required. Write W. L. Packwood, 7149 Paseo, Kansas City, Missouri.  
MEN, age 25 to 45 to take on established customers for the Fuller Brush Company. Salary \$75 weekly to start. Write Fuller Brush Company, 12th and Walnut Street Building, Kansas City, Missouri.  
33A—Salesman Wanted  
SALESMAN WANTED to sell Hoover appliances, must have car. See Jim Kenner, at McLaughlin Brothers, between 8th and 9th and 3 to 5 p. m. Sales experience preferred but not necessary.  
SALESMAN WANTED  
Preferably experienced, calling on industrial accounts. American's most complete line of industrial paints, flooring and maintenance items, nationally advertised. Established accounts and liberal commissions assure exceptional earnings. Must be over 30, show successful past sales record and own car. Field training by Sales Manager. Write, giving experience and phone number to P.O. Box 1960, Cleveland 6, Ohio.  
34—Help—Male and Female  
PART TIME WORK: Old established company opening in its local sales department for young married men or women visiting \$800 a month \$50 per week. Work 3 evenings and Saturdays each week. Must have access to a car. High school education preferred. Give giving qualifications to Box 46, Cafe Democrat.  
36—Situations Wanted—Female  
BABY SITTING wanted. Phone 5546.  
WANTED: Housework, baby sitting or ironing. Phone 2475-R.  
WILL CARE for children in my home days. Reasonable. 5922-W.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

GARDEN PLOWING: 417 North Osage. 3522.  
GARDEN PLOWING with cub tractor. Phone 3530-R-2.  
LAWN MOWING, and yard work wanted for the summer. Phone 4920.  
WANTED: Married man to work on farm. Steady employment, good wages. Phone 5268-R-2.  
YARD and lawn service, by job, month or season. Also curb numbers. Phone 2323-J or 4970-W.  
V—Financial  
38—Business Opportunities  
CAFE for lease. Highway location. Phone 2266.  
SERVICE STATION for lease. Minimum investment. Doing good business. See or call Mr. Adams, Adams Truck and Tractor Company, 401 West Main. Phone 2983.  
40—Money to Loan—Mortgages  
LOANS, farm and city. Free inspection. W. Smith, 647.  
41—LAND BANK FARM LOANS How much can you save? Long term. No extra costs. Inquire confidential. Perry Edde, Ikenfritz Building.  
VII—Live Stock  
47—Dogs, Cats Other Pets  
PARAKEETS, young, all colors. 2105 West 14th Phone 54.  
PARAKEETS, all colors. Finger tame. Mrs. Haley. Phone 5964-W.  
PARAKEETS, all colors, normals and rars. 5 miles West on Main Street Road. Mrs. Jacks. Phone 5342-W-1.  
FIVE, FOX AND WOLF HOUNDS  
3 dogs, 2 Gyps, 2 years old. Walker breeding. Will run with the best. FRANK STREET Smithton

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

SOW and 6 pigs. Earl Homan. Phone 2215, Florence.  
FRESH COW heifer calf, Springer heifer, tested. 2505 East 12th.  
POLLED HEREFORD BULL, registered. Phone 144 or 5384-M-2.  
3 YOUNG GUERNSEY JERSEY cows. Fresh. Calves by side. 5012-J.  
TEAM mare mules, good age, with harness, reasonable. Phone 5198-M-2.  
9 ANGUS BULLS, registered. Cunningham and Sundwall, Ionia, Missouri.  
GOOD DAIRY COWS and heifers. Fresh and springing. Phone 1301.  
SMALL RIDING HORSE, saddle and equipment, almost new. \$150. Phone 5228-J-1.  
14 WEANED PIGS, John Neltzer, Route 2 Sedalia, 1/2 mile North Flat Creek Baptist Church.  
28 HAMPSHIRE PIGS, 15 Hampshire Berkshire pigs, extra good. Chaney. Phone 5111-W-3.  
48B—Milk for Sale  
RICH JERSEY RAIL MILK, Grade A, State, city approved. Daily home delivery. Phone 2459-J. Highway View Dairy.  
GRADE A PASTEURIZED and Homogenized whole milk, gallon 39c, 1/2 gallon 20c. Buttermilk, one gallon 55c, 1/2 gallon 28c. Cottage cheese, one quart, 39c. All flavors ice cream, dairy cream, 1/2 gallon vanilla freeze, 49c. Get fresher dairy products all in one stop, at Freeze-Risler Dairy, Main and Prospect.  
48-C—Breeding Service  
M. F. A. ARTIFICIAL BREEDING, price \$6.00. Phone 463 Sedalia. Raymond Lane.  
49—Poultry and Supplies  
FRYERS, for sale. Phone 4927-J.  
FRYING CHICKENS, live or dressed. 1907 South Quincy. Phone 2688.  
BABY CHICKS: All popular breeds. New hatch out every Monday. Poultry supplies, remedies and General Mills Largo feed mix. We do custom hatching. Phone, write or call in person at the Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 202 West 4th Street, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 3076.  
50—Wanted—Live Stock  
SERUM PIGS, also vaccinated feeder pigs. Chaney. Phone 5111-W-3.  
VIII—Merchandise  
51—Articles for Sale  
DELUXE BABY CARRIAGE, like new. 1420 South Osage. Phone 494-W.  
SEVERAL GOOD GREEN DOORS. Phone 6035, Morris Motel, South 65.  
ROCKERS, Curly stretchers, long ladder, men's suits, 194 South Kentucky.  
KEMORE WRINGER WASHER tubs. Good condition, terms if desired. Phone 2260.  
BATH TUB 5 1/2 foot, with legs, fittings included, good condition. 202 South Kentucky.  
REFRIGERATOR 4 Cubic Foot. Kelvinator. Overhauled. Good finish. Fine for cabin on lake. 4570-J.  
WINE RUGS and pads. Two, 12x13 foot, 6 inches. One 9x6 foot, 5 inches. Gullstrand. Cheap. Phone 3643-J.  
FURNITURE, Tools, etc. Bought, sold. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. 4125.  
FRIGIDAIRE, 60 cubic foot. Commercial grade. Ice box with built-in. Perfect condition. Phone 198 or 2794.  
SPECIAL DEAL: We will give \$10 for any old mower on one of our new power lawnmowers. Our prices start at \$9.50. Johns Auto Supply, 129 South Osage.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale  
LARGE BABY BUGGY in good condition. \$8.00. Phone 731-W.  
BUY, SELL OR TRADE: Guns—all kinds. Clothing all kinds. Gift antiques, cameras, watches. 104 South Osage.  
USED EQUIPMENT FOR SALE (2) 1 ton Frigidaire Room Air Conditioner. (1) Tyler Deep Freeze. (1) Frigidaire Deep Freeze. (1) 6 cubic foot Servel gas refrigerator. (1) 10 foot double duty meat display case. (1) 6 foot double deck dairy case. (1) 6 foot deep beer cooler. Shelving, islands, scales and slicers. Reinhardt-Weiss S. Co. 927 South Lamine (South 65 Highway) Sedalia, Missouri.  
51B—Dead Animals  
DEAD ANIMALS removed free. Standard Rendering. Call collect Sedalia, 3033.  
51-C—Antiques  
WE SELL AND BUY ANTIQUES: 804 West 16th. Phone 1472.  
ANTIQUES: China, Pattern glass. 810 West Broadway. Phone 2926.  
BEAUTIFUL ANTIQUE ORGAN, carved walnut good condition. 7 miles East of Windsor, on Highway 52. Irvin Viegel.  
52—Boats and Accessories  
THOMPSON BOAT, Tee-See trailer and Evinrude motor. Phone 376 or 2367.  
MINNOWS, WORMS: Choice hatchery. Minnows 4 dozen \$1.00. Texaco Service Station, Cole Camp Junction.  
53—Building Materials  
OAK LUMBER, delivered. Doyle Furnell. Phone 1671.  
EXTRA GOOD fill dirt, \$3 per load delivered. Phone 719.  
HIGH GRADE white house paint—bargain prices. 301 West Main.  
BLACK DIRT, road and concrete gravel, also cinders. Phone 3006-J.  
CONCRETE GRAVEL, road gravel, black dirt, drive-way rock. Phone 2197.  
JOHNS MANVILLE ROOFING, siding, insulation. 513 South Lamine. Phone 2603.  
AGRICULTURAL LINE AND ROCK at Quarry 2 miles West on Main Street Road or delivered. Howard Construction Company. Phone 515.  
54—Business, Office Equipment  
POOL HALL, fully equipped. One Snooker, Two pool tables. Priced for immediate sale. Martin Berman Agency Carrollton, Missouri.  
55A—Farm Equipment  
F-14 TRACTOR, plow, cultivator. Phone 5388-W-1.  
ALLIS CHALMER B Tractor, with mower. 315 East 5th. 6074.  
INTERNATIONAL 2 bottom, 14 inch plow. 2505 East 12th.  
A BARGAIN W. C. Allis-Chalmers tractor. A-1 mechanically and tires. Phone 2083-W after 5 P.M.  
MASSEY-HARRIS 2-12 number 27 tractor plow. New, on rubber. Price \$125. Herbert Brauer, Syracuse. Phone 2022.  
BLACK HAWK rear mounted corn planter with fertilizer attachments and furrow opener \$195.00. Fertilizer attachments to fit most corn planters \$49.95. Lynne Supply, LaMonte, Missouri.  
1908 F-20 TRACTOR plow and cultivator. Good condition. 12 foot M. M. Disc and John Deere No. 5 power mower almost new. \$650 or will sell separately. O. E. Hoover, 1902 Green Ridge, Missouri.

IX—Rooms and Board

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers  
WABASH SOYBEANS: Recleaned. Phone 5198-W-1.  
66—Wanted—To Buy  
WANTED: Good used furniture. Phone 59.  
GOOD USED FURNITURE wanted. Kanter, 213 West Main. Phone 269.  
WANTED: GOOD USED FURNITURE. Phone 2642-J.  
OLD GUNS WANTED will buy, trade, modern. 616 South Ohio.  
WE BUY scrap iron and junk cars. McCown Brothers Auto Parts, 1400 North Grand. Phone 4012.  
67—Rooms with Board  
ROOM AND BOARD men or women. Phone 4613.  
EXCELLENT CARE to congenial convalescents. 209 South Quincy. Phone 2778.  
ELDERLY PEOPLE CARED for in my home. Bed and ambulatory patients. 24 hour nursing service. Phone 2437.  
68—Rooms without Board  
SLEEPING ROOMS: 521 East 10th. Phone 2049.  
SLEEPING ROOM, next bath, close-in. Phone 2049.  
NICE SLEEPING ROOM, front. Girls. 1020 South Ohio.  
SLEEPING ROOM for gentleman. 615 West Broadway.  
SLEEPING ROOM, twin beds, 2 gentlemen. 519 West Broadway. 2753-J.  
SLEEPING ROOM modern. Gentlemen preferred. 315 East 5th. Phone 1772.  
69—Rooms for Housekeeping  
TWO LOWER, light housekeeping rooms. Elderly person. 1011 South Vermont.  
69A—House Trailers for Rent  
HOUSE TRAILER, furnished. 1200 West 14th. Phone 1839.  
72—Where to Stop in Town  
SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES Royal Hotel. Fred Hildebrandt, owner. Phone 800.

X—Real Estate for Rent

74—Apartments and Flats  
THREE ROOMS, furnished. Utilities paid. Modern. Call 5592.  
TWO ROOM furnished apartment. Inquire after 5 p. m. 1014 East 6th.  
MODERN FOUR ROOMS, down. One child accepted. Phone 1622.  
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BEAUTIFUL downtown apartment. 3 rooms and bath, modern furniture. 586.  
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BASEMENT APARTMENT, partly furnished of unfurnished. Adults. Phone 3494.  
THREE ROOMS and bath, unfurnished. First floor. Adults only. Phone 522 or 602 West 6th.  
MODERN APARTMENT, furnished, 3 rooms. 1320 South Harrison. Harriet Engfield. Phone 38-J. Knob Noster, Missouri.  
75—Business Places for Rent  
210 SOUTH LAMINE for office or small business. Phone 2852.  
75A—Business Places for Lease  
STANDARD STATION with living quarters for lease. Ottaville, Missouri.  
75B—Buildings for Rent  
STORE ROOM, 622 East 5th. Gentry. Ikenfritz Building. Phone 213.  
STORE BUILDING for retail, wholesale or storage. 525-30 East 3rd. Heavy traffic. Phone 2012 or 2654.  
76—Farms and Land for Rent  
100 ACRE FARM in pasture and lespedeza. Call 4497-R.  
76A—Pasture for Rent  
12 ACRES blue grass pasture. Plenty water. South Georgetown. \$20 a month. Phone 4330.  
77—Houses for Rent  
MODERN CABIN 2 rooms and bath. Phone 5555.  
81—Wanted—To Rent  
Good grass pasture in Pettis or adjoining counties for 25 cows.

XI—Real Estate for Sale

84—Houses for Sale  
FOUR ROOMS, bath, utility room, corner lot, venetian blinds, hardwood floors, storm windows, reasonable. Possession. Phone 3732-M.  
3 BEDROOM HOME, practically new. Excellent southwest location. Brick trim. Insulated, \$3800 down, monthly payments only \$65 on balance. Phone 4908.  
6 ROOMS, all modern house, 4 down, 2 up. Basement, hardwood floors, gas furnace, corner lot. 615 East 17th. Priced to sell. Close to school and hospital. Phone 1130-W.  
THREE BEDROOM brick, 1 year old. Concrete drive, brick storm windows, hardwood floors, plastered walls, youngstown kitchen, carbide disposal. Owner transferred. Must sell. 305 Sunset Drive. Phone 3908-J.  
FOUR ROOM BUNGALOW in Kansas City, Missouri or will trade for 4 or 5 room home in Sedalia, near equal value, prefer basement. For full information write Carl D. Johnson, 1912 Myrtle Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.  
BUILD A MIDWEST SECTION HOME: Our prices are below all others. We erect the steel in one day and you complete. All materials furnished. Build conventionally of only the highest quality materials. Use your floor plan or ours. Easily financed. Be fair to yourself, before you build write for prices and free catalog. Visit our model home on display at Midwest Building Company, Post Office Box 209, C3221 South Chrysler, Independence, Missouri.

WARE VILLAGE

16th and South Engineer Sts.  
2-BEDROOM HOMES  
WITH ATTACHED GARAGE  
AND BIG LOT — \$9200  
3-BEDROOM ..... \$9875  
VETERANS: NO DOWN  
PAYMENT!  
NON-VETERANS: 2-BEDROOM HOMES  
Down Payment ..... \$1150  
3-BEDROOM HOMES  
Down Payment ..... \$1279  
Monthly payments far below rent. Some terms on down payments to responsible parties.

TOM E. WARE

PHONE 2664  
85—Lots for Sale  
CHOICE BUILDING LOTS on Dal-Whit-Mo Court and West 5th. Harry Walsh, Phone 620-W.  
TWO LARGE LOTS, approximately 80x150 feet each. Black top street. All utilities. School bus. Phone 4425-M.  
86—Shore Mountain, Lake for Sale  
LOT 50x100, Lake Ozarks, Roy Groff. 2040 East 7th. Sedalia.  
87—Suburban, Country for Sale  
42 ACRES, 5 room modern house and 2 acre store combined. Close-in. Phone 5262-W-1.  
SUBURBAN, 10 acres, five rooms, garage, city water, close to town. On black top. Phone 5508-W-3.  
WILL SELL one to five acre tracts, approximately one mile from Sedalia. Paved road. Phone 3173 or 5643.  
LARGE SUBURBAN HOME good improvements, approximately one mile City Limits Sedalia. Modern. Paved road. Phone 3173 or 5643.  
FOR SALE OR TRADE, 6 room Suburban home on three acres, with city gas, lights, water. Gas heat, large double garage. Two other buildings. Large yard and barbecue. All fenced. 2004 South Ingram.  
89—Wanted—Real Estate  
WE WANT TO BUY 80 foot front or rear home building, with city gas, dental area. Write Roy Riggs, 609 Laurel, Warrensburg, Missouri.  
XII—Auctions—Legals  
91—Legal Notices  
Stockholders Meeting Notice  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the first meeting of stockholders of the Pettis County Homes Company will be convened and held in the Boardroom, Hotel Bothwell, 4th and Ohio, Sedalia, Mo., on the 22nd day of April, 1954, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and voting upon: (1) The adoption of a new set of by-laws; (2) The election of a board of directors to serve during the ensuing year; and (3) Any and all other business of whatsoever nature and character which may come before the meeting.  
Signed at Sedalia, Mo., this 10th day of April, 1954.  
CLAUDE L. BOUL, Trustees.  
4-11 thru 4-20.  
A new instrument measures how much blood healthy and sick hearts pump out to the body. Called a capnigraph, its operation depends on the fact that any variation in the blood distribution to any part of the body results in a change in the electrical capacitance of that part of the body.

REED'S PRE-EASTER WATCH SALE

1/3 OFF  
Ladies' and Men's Famous Name Watches  
BUY NOW FOR GRADUATION  
Many to Choose From  
TERMS — \$1 Down \$1 Weekly No Carrying Charge  
REED & SON JEWELERS  
309 South Ohio Phone 82

QUICK SALE

D-C CASE TRACTOR AND CULTIVATOR  
3 Bottom, 14-inch Plow Hydraulic Lift  
10 Ft. Oliver Tandem Disc Allis Chalmers Combine  
1 Row Oliver Corn Picker  
A. F. TEGTMEYER LaMonte, Mo.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR LUMP COAL: Phone 3044 or 4491.  
BLOCK WOOD sawed any length, delivered. Phone 3006-J.  
EAR AND SHELL CORN, 75 tons corn silage. Phone 3104 Ottaville, Missouri.  
T. AND O. ROCK PHOSPHATE: Bulk rock phosphate, commercial fertilizer. Anhydrous Ammonia. Delivered and spread. Phone 1803.  
ANHYDROUS AMMONIA 82% Nitrogen 81c/Lb.  
\$1.50 per acre for application.  
OTTO ZIMMERSCHIED Ottaville, Mo. Phone 3104, Ottaville

57—Good Things to Eat

WILL BAKE HOMEMADE PIES, cakes and cookies. Phone 228-W.  
SUGAR-FREE, Soft drink beverages. No sugar, no calories. Ask your grocer or drug store.  
59—Household Goods  
GAS RANGE, good. 900 East 7th.  
DETROIT JEWEL gas range, price \$10. 312 East 5th.  
DINING ROOM SUITE, 8 piece, walnut finish. Phone 924-W West Main.  
ALL KINDS GOOD USED furniture and appliances. 30 West Main.  
HOME FREEZER, 450 pound. After 5:30 week-days, 902 East Lamine.

BUGS BUNNY

INSULTIN'  
YA ALLEY CAT BUM, WHEN YER BROKE MY JOINT'S GOOD ENOUGH!  
I CAME INTO A BIT OF MONEY, GUY NOR.  
YA LOOKS REAL PROSPEROUS, SYLVESTER! WHAT HAPPENED?  
BUGS BEANER  
I SAID, SURE... I CAN AFFORD TO DINE IN THE BETTER EATERIES!  
SIDEWALK CAFE  
THE TODDINGHAM-LIVERMORES WERE WITHOUT ISSUE—THE MCALLISTER—THE LIVERMORES, A DAUGHTER—  
OW ABOUT CHAUNCEY OLD? BEAN?  
BROTHER CHAUNCEY'S SON! HOW DID I OVERLOOK HIM?  
UNCLE LUCIUS! TERRIBLY HAPPY TO SEE YOU, OLD FELLOW, REALLY!  
by MERRILL BLOSSER

CAPTAIN EASY

CHANCE TO STAY CLOSE  
by LESLIE TURNER  
NO, SHE APPEARED QUITE NORMAL AGAIN. I DON'T THINK SHE EVEN REMEMBERED IT. SO I PRETENDED NOTHING HAD HAPPENED.  
BUT I'M YOUR ONLY HOPE OF GETTING BACK TO EARTH AND I NEEDED YOUR HELP TO FIX UP MY SHIP!  
REMARKABLE RESTRANT FOR BOTH OF US!  
IF I CAN LEARN SOMETHING ABOUT THE MAGNETIC BARRIER, MAYBE WE CAN BREAK AWAY...  
...THE FORCE LINES SEEM TO CONVERGE ON MAGNETIC POLES...  
HE'S BUSY... HMM...  
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SURE, I'LL APPLY FOR IT. JO, BUT I'LL APPLY IT'S PARTLY BECAUSE I'D BE NEARER YOU!  
THE CHAUFFEUR GAVE NOTICE THIS MORNING! I KNOW IT'S A LOT, BUT IF YOU'D TAKE THAT JOB TILL MR. FRAYNE RETURNS...  
STRANGETH IF SHE HADN'T BEEN DRINKING, THEN SHE MUST'VE BEEN UNDER THE INFLUENCE O' SOME DRUG—  
HOW WAS DORIS FRAYNE TODAY, JO? DID SHE MENTION FIRING YOU LAST NIGHT?  
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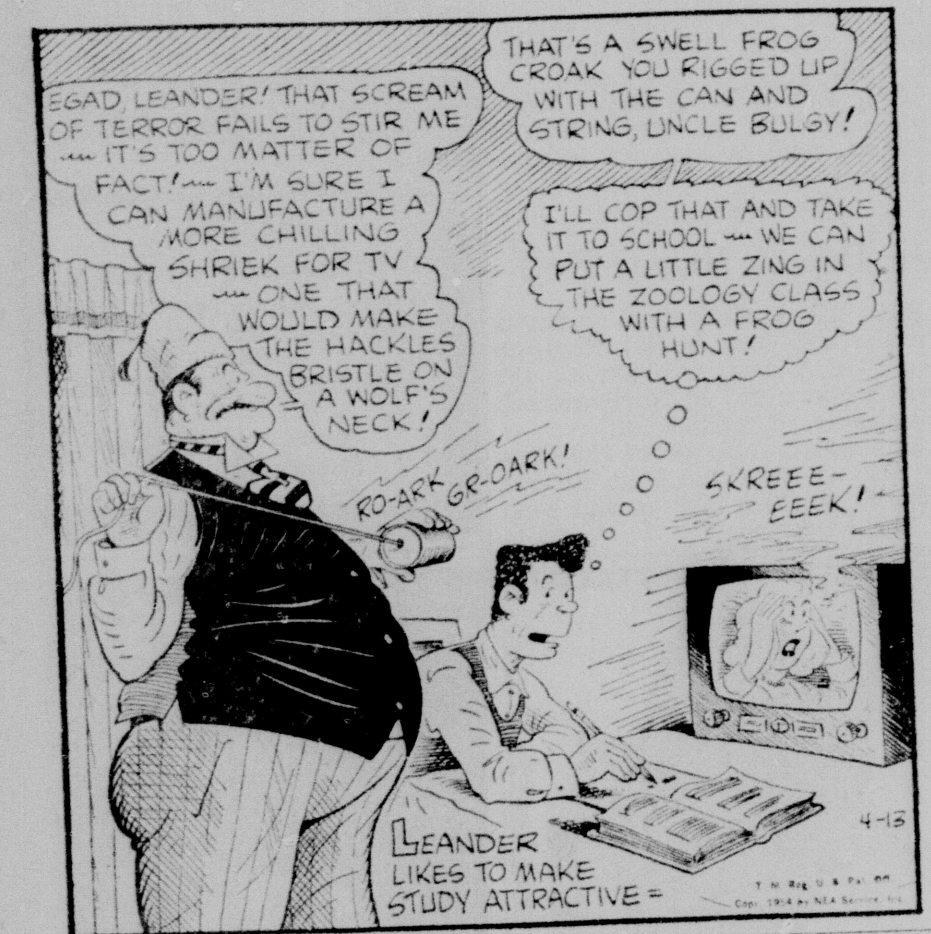
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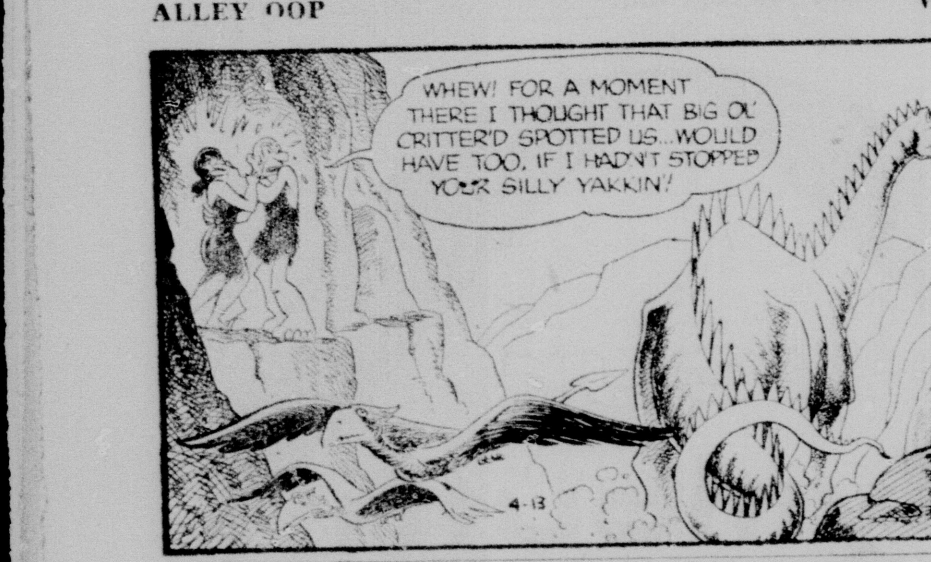




**Guernsey Sire**  
PETERBOROUGH, N. H. — Emory E. Williams, Windsor, has just purchased the young Guernsey sire, Brown Springs Arrow, from Dr. M. C. Gouge and Sam Freund, Sedalia.

**HOMES FOR SALE**  
1111 State Fair Boulevard, new, brick, 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, fireplace, utility room, attached garage, 150 ft. frontage. Exclusive Listing. \$9500  
5 Rooms, full basement, gas furnace, built-ins, practically new. Southwest \$9500  
1703 East 7th, 4 rooms, modern, attached garage, possession. \$4500  
2 Apartment, 5 rooms each, modern, close in, good income.  
5 Acres, suburban, modern house, possession.  
710 East 17th, 5 rooms, basement, gas furnace, excellent condition. \$6500. Exclusive Listing.  
**CARL AND OSWALD**  
309 South Ohio Phone 291  
John E. Bohon, Salesman

**PUBLIC SALE**  
I will sell the following livestock at public auction at my farm located 1 1/2 miles southeast of Green Ridge or 10 miles southwest of Sedalia on old highway 65 or 12 miles northeast of Windsor on:  
**THURSDAY, APRIL 15**  
Beginning at 1:00 o'clock — The Following Property:  
72 — HEAD OF CATTLE — 72  
16 Angus Steers (wt. 800 to 850 lbs.)  
21 Angus Yearlings (mixed steers and heifers)  
15 Angus Cows (2 to 4 years old)  
3 Red Whiteface Cows (2 to 4 years old)  
3 Jersey Cows (milking)  
1 Guernsey Cow (milking)  
1 Black Cow (milking)  
12 Calves  
(All of this stock has been raised on my farm.)  
Sale Begins at 1:00 o'clock Sharp — TERMS, CASH  
Nothing to Be Removed Until Settled For  
— Not Responsible For Accidents —  
**STIRL CAMPBELL, owner**  
Col. Hughey Johnston and Hughey Johnston, Jr., Auctioneers  
Stanley Johnston, Clerk



**OWN YOUR OWN HOME**  
Income Property — 8 rooms, apartment upstairs and down, private bath, separate entrances, well located, 1012 West Fourth Street. 4 bedrooms, attached garage. Financed F.H.A. 300 South Barrett. Brand new home with 3 extra large bedrooms, large living and dining room, 1516 square feet living space, large attached garage, 1617 West 14th Street.  
5 acres, 4 room house, strictly modern, basement, large Missouri type poultry house, garage and shed, good fences, vacant, possession at once.  
2 1/2 acres, 4 room house, good location, needs repair. \$1,750.00. In acres, edge of town, priced to sell. Nice building site.  
**KENNIE MILLER REALTOR**  
Phone 586 Home 3153

**LET THIS HOME EARN YOU MONEY!**  
9 Rooms, 4 down, 5 up. Bath up and down, 2 gas furnaces, separate utilities. Full Basement. Can be easily converted into duplex. Well located West.  
Priced to Sell.  
Shown By Appointment.  
**FARM AND CITY LOANS**  
Straight and Long Term Plans  
Authorized Loan Solicitor For THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA  
**PORTER REAL ESTATE COMPANY**  
Phone 254  
112 West 4th St. 7th Year  
E. H. McLaughlin and James C. Keck, Salesmen

**PUBLIC SALE**  
Due to a recent operation I am forced to sell the following Dairy and Stock Cows at my farm located 4 miles West of Windsor Junction, on Highway 52, then 1 1/2 miles North on old 65 Highway to Manila Store, then 1/4 mile East, on—  
2 Guernsey Cows, 6 years old, cal. by side  
1 Guernsey Cow, 4 years old, cal. by side  
1 Guernsey Cow, 4 years old, fresh in May  
1 Guernsey Cow, 3 years old, fresh in May  
1 Guernsey Cow, 2 years old, fresh by day of sale  
1 Guernsey Cow, 2 years old, fresh in May  
All of the above cows are the result of 14 years of breeding with registered Guernsey Bulls.  
1 Roan Cow, 4 years old, heavy springer  
1 Shorthorn Heifer, heavy springer  
1 Shorthorn Cow, 6 years old, heavy springer  
1 Whiteface Cow, 8 years old, heavy springer  
1 Angus Heifer  
1 Whiteface Cow, 7 years old, heavy springer  
1 Jersey Cow, 8 years old  
1 Guernsey Cow, 10 years old  
All the above cows are bred to a registered Hereford Bull.  
1 1947 1 1/2-Ton Ford Truck  
Other stock not listed above will be offered at this sale.  
**TERMS: CASH—Nothing to be removed until settled for.**  
Lunch Will Be Served on the Grounds  
Not Responsible for Accidents  
**W. J. KEYTE, owner**  
Olen Downs, Auctioneer



**LOW OVERHEAD MEANS LOW PRICES! See These Buys!**  
1951 CADILLAC Coupe Deville  
1953 FORD 2-Door  
1951 MERCURY 2-Door  
1951 CHEVROLET 4-Door  
1946 CHEVROLET Fleetline  
1937 OLDSMOBILE 4-Door  
E. H. Faulwell—Salesman  
**BOOTS MOTOR CO.**  
715 W. Main Phone 99

**DAVID HIERONYMUS, REALTOR**  
Office 113 South Ohio Phones 93 or 2600  
Res. 310 Poplar Place, Phone 799  
Salesman Leo Morris, Phone 997-W  
Appliance Store, established 7 years, Invoice plus 10%  
Grocery Store, doing nice business. About \$6,000  
80 Acres improved farm, LaMonte \$10,500  
New home, corner lot, West, nice \$13,474  
New 3 bedroom, Southwest \$14,500  
Good 2 story house, full basement, garage, west \$9,500  
Good 5 room house, modern, 2 extra lots, East \$5,500  
Building lots, west, \$5 down, \$5 monthly.  
New 3 bedroom, garage, Southwest \$9,475

**GOOD BUYS IN A FAMILY CAR — OR FOR YOUR SECOND CAR!**  
1941 Plymouth 2-door, radio and heater.  
1946 Pontiac Club Coupe, radio and heater.  
1946 Ford 4-Door, radio and heater.  
1948 Plymouth 4-Door, radio, heater and sunvisor  
1948 DeSoto 4-Door, radio, heater and sunvisor  
1948 Dodge 4-door, radio, heater, sunvisor.  
1949 Studebaker 2-door, radio, heater, overdrive.  
1950 Plymouth Club Coupe, radio and heater  
1950 Ford 1 1/2-Ton Pickup  
1951 Plymouth 4-door Sedan, radio and heater.  
1952 Plymouth 2-door Sedan, radio, heater  
1952 Plymouth 4-door, radio, heater, overdrive, 2-tone.  
1952 DeSoto 4-door V-8 Powerdome.  
1953 Plymouth 4-door, radio, heater, overdrive.  
**ASKEW USED CAR LOT**  
227 South Osage Charley Jenkins, Salesman Phone 195

**LOOK THESE CLEAN USED CARS AT BARGAIN PRICES**  
1951 Dodge Sedan—perfect \$985  
1946 Ford Club Coupe \$395  
"98" Olds Sedan, like new \$650  
1949 Buick Club Sedan \$475  
1947 Studebaker Pickup, 1 1/2-Ton \$350  
1951 Ford Pickup, radio and heater. \$675  
1948 Dodge Sedan (overhauled) \$595  
1947 Chevrolet Tudor Sedan \$450  
**TRY "ROUTSZONG'S" FOR BETTER BUYS!**  
**ROUTSZONG MOTOR CO.**  
225 South Kentucky Telephone 397

**1804 South Montgomery**  
Only \$500 Cash  
Balance Monthly  
Full Price \$6,500  
Four large rooms, plus utility room. Hardwood floors, built-in kitchen, automatic water heater and furnace. East front, full lot. Possession April 15th.  
**DONNOHUE LOAN & INVESTMENT CO.**  
410 South Ohio Phone 6

**WE TRADE USED CARS**  
KAISER-FRANER PARTS  
BRAKES RELINED  
GENERAL REPAIRING and WELDING  
WRECKER SERVICE  
**SEDALIA BRAKE & MOTOR COMPANY**  
1019 S. Limit Phone 276

**GOOD CARS AND LOW PRICES!**  
1953 Aero Willys Sedan  
1951 Packard 200 Deluxe Sedan  
1950 Packard Sedan \$795  
1949 Chevrolet Sedan 795  
1948 Packard Super Sedan 695  
1949 Ford 2-door 695  
1951 Nash Rambler 695  
1948 Chevrolet 2-door 495  
1947 Chrysler Sedan 450  
1942 Ford 2-door 145  
**VINCENT MOTOR SALES**  
1001 W. Main, Bus. Phone 23  
Hiway, 50 Motel, Phone 2054

**STOP • SELECT • SAVE**  
SEE THESE BIG USED CAR VALUES  
1948 OLDSMOBILE Hydramatic, Radio, \$195  
Heater, Down Payment  
1947 PLYMOUTH 4-Door \$125  
Down Payment  
1941 BUICK 2-Door \$65  
Full Price  
1951 CHEVROLET 5-Passenger Coupe \$345  
Down Payment  
1941 CHEVROLET 5-Passenger Coupe \$145  
Full Price  
1950 BUICK Down Payment \$275  
Club Coupe  
1946 MERCURY 2-Door, Radio, Heater, \$125  
Down Payment  
1947 CHEVROLET 2-Door, Radio, Heater, \$145  
Down Payment  
1951 PLYMOUTH Club Coupe \$245  
Down Payment  
1951 STUDEBAKER Convertible \$265  
Down Payment  
1948 FORD 2-Door, Radio, Heater \$195  
Down Payment  
1948 CHRYSLER Convertible \$125  
Down Payment

**Mike O'Connor**  
CHEVROLET-BUICK-GMC  
Two Locations—Fourth Street Osage to Kentucky and Third and Osage — Telephone 5900

**ABSTRACTS OF TITLE**  
To all Land and Platted Lots in Pettis County  
**THE LANDMANN ABSTRACT & TITLE CO.**  
TELEPHONE 51 112 WEST FOURTH STREET

**TOAST OF THE TOWN**  
SAFE BUY USED CARS  
1953 WILLYS 4-Door Sedan \$1000  
radio, heater and overdrive Save  
1952 MERCURY Sedan \$595  
Merc-O-Matic, radio and heater payment  
1951 FORD Custom 2-Door, \$995  
Radio, heater—really clean  
1951 CHEVROLET Styleline Deluxe \$1095  
Radio, heater—perfect  
1949 Buick Super \$895  
Radio and heater  
1947 PONTIAC Sedanette \$425  
Good transportation  
**COME IN... LET'S DEAL**  
Used Car Lot—615 West Main — Telephone 168  
**JENKINS-GREER MOTOR CO.**  
218 South Osage Phone 5400

**CAL RODGERS**  
GOOD-WILL PRE-OWNED CARS  
RECONDITIONED AND GUARANTEED  
We Take The "Used" Out of Used Cars!  
A PARTIAL LIST  
1951 Dodge 1 1/2-Ton Pickup, heater, deluxe cab. Cleanest used Pickup in Sedalia. Be sure to see this \$225 down  
1950 Ford Custom Sedan, radio, heater, seatcovers, runs perfect, good tires \$300 down  
1948 Chevrolet Sedan, Radio, heater, other extras \$225 down  
1947 Chevrolet Tudor, Radio, heater. Here is good low priced transportation \$175 down  
Come in—We have many other fine cars to show you.  
TRADE—TERMS—UP TO 24 MONTHS TO PAY!  
Two Locations—Lot No. 1—5th and Kentucky  
Lot No. 2—714 West Main St.  
SEE CLYDE THARP OR CLOICE HARRISON  
**"Cal" Rodgers Pontiac**  
Fifth and Kentucky Telephone 508  
Lot No. 2 Open At 714 West Main. Cloice Harrison is in charge.

**BE WISE**  
Choose Your Car From One of These at The Bargain Spot of Sedalia  
1952 STUDEBAKER V-8 \$1195  
Commander, radio, heater and overdrive  
1949 FORD 2-Door, 695  
radio and heater  
1949 BUICK 575  
Super  
1949 CHRYSLER 575  
only  
1949 DODGE 395  
only  
1946 CADILLAC 575  
only  
1946 FORD 2-Door, 345  
a good buy at only  
1949 LINCOLN 550  
Radio and heater  
See us for the best deal in a New or Used Truck!  
**W. A. SMITH MOTORS**  
220 South Kentucky Sedalia, Mo.

**PRICED TO SELL QUICKLY!**  
See These  
**Good Used Cars**  
1950 PLYMOUTH 4-Door  
1949 PLYMOUTH 4-Door  
1948 DODGE Club Coupe  
1948 DE SOTO 4-Door  
1948 KAISER 4-Door  
**BRYANT MOTOR CO.**  
Second and Kentucky Phone 305  
**QUEEN CITY MOTORS**  
2 Locations  
Southwest Corner Third and Osage  
**DAN ROBINSON'S NASH**  
**DAN'S USED CARS**



